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**2005-2006 MARKETING PLAN**

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# 1 Executive Summary

NDA Submitted: Aug 31, 2005 Action Date: July 1, 2006	Earliest Launch: 3Q '06 Latest Launch: 1Q'07	Patent Expiration: 2019 (Method of Use - #6,200,604)
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## Market Overview (as defined by Cephalon):

Opioid Category	Value			Volume		
	2004 (\$ - mil)	2004 (%)	03-04 Δ	2004 (TRx - mil)	2004 (%)	03-04 Δ
Pure SAOs	\$569	10%	31%	7	5%	20%
Combi SAOs	\$1,043	18%	5%	126	84%	7%
LAOs	\$4,169	72%	15%	17	11%	9%
<b>Total Opioids</b>	<b>\$5,781</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>15%</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>7%</b>

Source: IMS - NPA & NSP (factored using WAC)

### Market Size & Growth

- Opioid market is large & continues to grow in value & volume
- Long-acting opioids (LAOs) dominate market value
- Combination short-acting opioids (SAOs) dominate market volume
- Pure SAOs experienced greatest growth in value & volume, despite being smallest in both categories
- ACTIQ (\$366M, + 44% vs. '03) is only branded Pure SAO & accounts for ~62% of category's value

### Market Drivers

- Increase in number of chronic pain patients continues to drive prescriptions
- Aggressive treatment of pain continues to drive market value despite introduction of generics (2 largest brands recently went generic – Oxycontin® and Duragesic®)
- Pain specialists remain most productive specialty segment while PCPs drive share

### Market Threats

- MCOs continue to limit access to opioids via prior authorizations & step edits
- Fear of abuse, addiction, & diversion persists among all specialties
- Treatment guidelines (regarding BTP) are still evolving

## Competitive Analysis:

Company	Products	Active Ingredient	Category	2004 TRx (000)	Δ vs. '03	Comments
Endo	Percocet	oxycodone + APAP	Combination SAO	1,199.69	- 57%	Patent expired, still promoting 2.5 mg
	Lidoderm	lidocaine	Non-opioid			Post-herpetic neuralgia local anesthetic patch, exclusivity 5/06
Janssen	Duragesic	fentanyl	LAO (Q72h)	6,048.22	+ 12%	12.5 mcg patch promoted, patent expired, exclusivity 11/06
	Ultracet	tramadol + APAP	Non-opioid			Acute pain (i.e. sprains), patent expires 8/11, no unexp exclusivity
Ortho-McNeil	Ionsys	fentanyl	PCA patch			Post-operative med, estimated launch 1Q '06
Organon/Ligand	Avinza	morphine	LAO (Q24h)	660.76	+ 211%	Patent expires 11/17, no unexpired unexclusivity
Abbott	Dilaudid	hydromorphone	Pure SAO	176.95	- 10%	Injection, oral solution & tablet, patent & exclusivity expired
	Vicoprofen	hydrocodone + ASA	Combination SAO	201.75	- 84%	Patent expired, no unexpired exclusivity
Forest	Combunox	oxycodone + ASA	Combination SAO	-	+/- 0%	Acute pain (i.e. dental pain), patent exp 2/05, exclusivity 11/07
AAI Pharma	Roxicodone	oxycodone	Pure SAO	383.38	- 27%	Patent expired, no unexpired exclusivity
Purdue	MSIR	morphine	Pure SAO	93.71	- 87%	Patent expired, no unexpired exclusivity
	OxylR/Oxyfast	oxycodone	Pure SAO	24.55	- 88%	Patent expired, no unexpired exclusivity
	OxyContin	oxycodone	LAO (Q12h)	7,120.82	- 8%	Patent expires 10/07, no unexpired exclusivity
	Palladone	hydromorphone	LAO (Q24h)	-	+/- 0%	Withdrawn from market due to interaction with alcohol
	MS Contin	morphine	LAO (Q12h)	167.28	-56%	Patent expired, no unexpired exclusivity
Alpharma	Kadian	morphine	LAO	414.67	+ 29%	20, 50, 100 mg patent expires 3/10, no unexpired exlcusivity

Sources: IMS Health & Orange Book.

### Major companies marketing outpatient chronic pain opioid products:

- Janssen (Duragesic 12.5 mcg) – decline in promotion of Duragesic 25-100 mcg doses due to patent expiration (LAO)
- Purdue (OxyContin) – decline in promotion due to patent expiration (LAO)
- Organon/Ligand (Avinza) – greatly increased presence of this LAO over past 2 yrs
- Forest (Combunox)
- Alpharma (Kadian)
- Endo (Percocet) – although all doses of Percocet expired, still share of voice leader along with Lidoderm & DepoDur

### Recently launched Opioids:

- Combunox (Forest – Oxycodone / Ibuprofen) – claims “long lasting & rapid relief”
- Reprexain (Watson – Hydrocodone / Ibuprofen)
- DepoDur (Endo – Liposome injection Morphine Sulfate XR)

Opioids in development that will be direct competitors include

- Ionysis – fentanyl patch (Ortho-McNeil, 1Q '06)
- Generic OTFC (Barr, 3Q '06)
- Rapinyl – fentanyl wafer (Endo, '07)

**Note:** Cephalon is presented with a unique opportunity to establish itself as a leader in pain management due to reduced promotional efforts brought on by the introduction of generics. With new products on the horizon, it is imperative that Cephalon move forward with promotional campaigns identified in the Brand Plan, ie, Pain Franchise, BTP, OraVescent® Technology, & FEBT Campaigns

**Product Description:**

- FEBT is fentanyl incorporated into the OraVescent® drug delivery platform
  - When small dissolvable tablet is placed along the buccal mucosa (between the cheek and gum), an effervescent reaction produces carbon dioxide and causes a dynamic shift in pH increasing dissolution & absorption
  - Other benefits of effervescence may include a reduced thickness of oral mucous layer; opened tight junctions; and increased lipophilicity of cell membranes

**Indication:**

- **At launch:** BTP in patients with cancer
- **10 mths postlaunch:** BTP in non-cancer patients – sNDA submitted immediately following initial approval

**Dosage:** 100, 200, 400, 600, 800 mcg

- 300 & 1200 mcg under consideration to match ACTIQ dose range

**Safety:** similar AE profile & abuse potential to CII opioids

- FEBT will employ comprehensive Risk MAP

**Efficacy:**

- **At launch:** same as ACTIQ – BTP in cancer patients
  - 15 min onset & up to 60 min duration
  - Rapid onset promotional claims from 3039 data will be included in launch material (subject to DDMAC review)
    - data intended to be published prior to launch & submitted in label supplement immediately following launch
- **6 mths postlaunch:** 3039 data included in label
  - 5-10 min onset & up to 120 min duration

**Advantages over ACTIQ:**

- Improved rate & extent of absorption, i.e. higher & earlier systemic exposure
  - Greater absorption through oral mucosa (48% vs. 22%)
  - Greater absolute bioavailability (65% vs. 47%)
- More discreet & user friendly drug delivery
- Simplified titration scheme

**Position Statement:**

FEBT is the first and only fentanyl buccal tablet which utilizes an effervescent reaction to provide the most rapid onset of analgesia of any oral opioid, resulting in improved patient functioning and activities of daily living.

**Key Clinical Studies:**

NDA:	
99-14	efficacy: CA BTP
99-15	safety: CA BTP (open label)
1026-29	PK: 4 main studies
Timing	submitted 8/31/05 action date 7/1/06

Labeling Supplement: clinical trial label Δ	
3039	efficacy (onset & duration)
Timing	submit immediately upon NDA approval, 6 mth review

sNDA: expand indication to non-CA	
3040	safety: all non-CA BTP (open label)
3041	efficacy: neuropathic BTP
3042	efficacy: lower back BTP
Timing	submit immediately upon NDA approval, 10 mth review

sNDA: higher dose	
TBD	PK Study: 2 x 600
TBD	efficacy & safety: high dose
Timing	TBD

**Key Issues**

Absence of time to convert ACTIQ loyalists (pre-generic) →  
 Limited ability to differentiate at launch w/ NDA label →  
 Pre-launch market conditioning resources →  
 Anticipated reimbursement barriers →  
 Low understanding of diagnosis & treatment of BTP →  
 Limited KOL, society, and MCO relationships →  
 Concern of abuse, addiction, & diversion (CII) →

**Critical Success Factors**

Convert ACTIQ loyalists within 90 days (pre-launch tactics)  
 Differentiate via available data (3039, OVF tech, ROO)  
 Secure, align, & optimize resources  
 Establish appropriate price, implement tools & initiatives  
 Utilize med-ed & BTP awareness campaign  
 Expand KOL, society, & MCO relationships  
 Minimize abuse, addiction, & diversion

**Financial Objective:**

Net Revenue (mil)	2003	2004	2005F	2006F	2007F
Pure SAO	\$373	\$500	\$711	\$757	\$654
ACTIQ	\$238	\$337	\$450	\$443	\$180
FEBT	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$105
Pain Franchise	\$238	\$337	\$450	\$443	\$285
Cephalon Mkt Share	64%	68%	63%	59%	44%

TRx (mil)	2003	2004	2005F	2006F	2007F
Pure SAO	5.8	6.9	8.2	9.7	11.5
ACTIQ	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.2
FEBT	-	-	-	-	0.1
Pain Franchise	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.3
Cephalon Mkt Share	6%	6%	6%	5%	3%

**Note**

- Preliminary forecast from Long Range Plan based on NET Revenue, not agreed upon by all Departments (current thinking)

**Assumptions (LRP):**

- Moderate ACTIQ growth until launch of FEBT
  - Launch of Sugar-Free will not impact current prescribing trend
  - ACTIQ exclusivity will end 2/07 if pediatric indication is approved, if not exclusivity will end 9/06
  - ACTIQ will experience ~50-60% net substitution within 1<sup>st</sup> 12 mths
- Forecast assumes FEBT launch 2/07 (ACTIQ ped trial completed)
  - Brand Plan assumes 9/06 launch
  - Neither Forecast nor Brand Plan assume a carcinogenicity study which could extend sNDA to '08
- Prescription growth will increase when FEBT receives expanded pain label
- Favorable response to FEBT in Market Research, even compared to ACTIQ & generic OTFC.
  - Initial source of prescriptions based on as many as 25% of patients converted from ACTIQ, coupled with strong growth trend based on new patients
- Potential competitors entering in '08 & beyond may impact growth slightly but will have a greater effect on growing the BTP market than switching patients from FEBT
  - lonysis (1Q '06) predominantly used in hospital setting & Rapinyl ('08)

**Risks (Marketing identified, not factored in LRP):**

- Approval date delayed impacting time to conversion before generic
- DDMAC restriction on using 3039 data at launch
- Inability to establish ROO classification
- Appropriate FEBT pricing not established
- MCO hurdles
- Failure to negotiate optimal Risk MAP
- Unforeseen generic intrusion

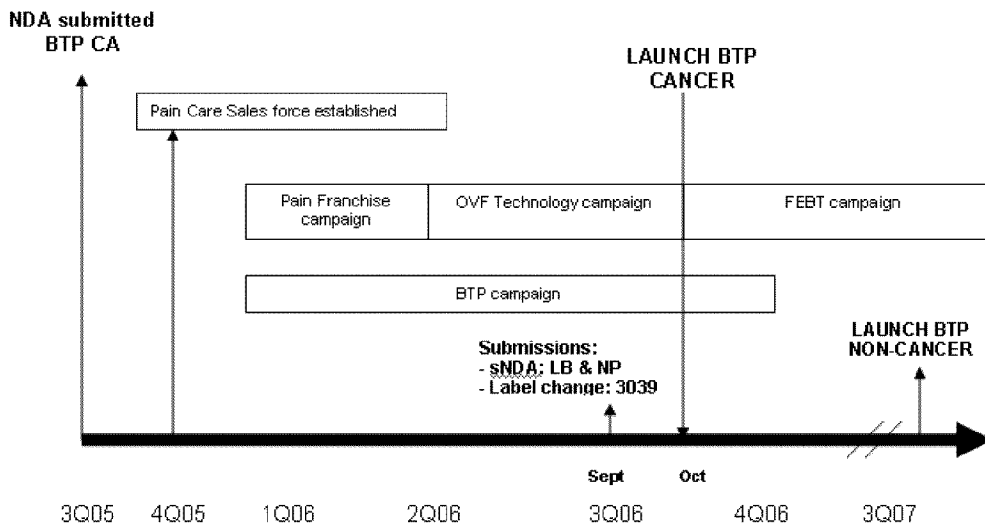
**Budget 2006:**

The following resources are necessary to achieve the financial objectives and strategies. Interim ACTIQ activity and market conditioning campaigns will have a profound impact on the successful launch of FEBT.

Category	ACTIQ	FEBT	Both	Pain Franchise	Share
Jrnl Reprints	\$150	\$300	\$250	\$700	2%
Conventions	\$473	\$150	\$600	\$1,223	3%
A&P	\$3,261	\$5,000	\$4,000	\$12,261	35%
Coupons	\$1,500	\$400	\$0	\$1,900	5%
PR	\$50	\$500	\$500	\$1,050	3%
Field Spkr Prog	\$3,000	\$1,500	\$0	\$4,500	13%
Med Ed	\$0	\$4,000	\$6,809	\$10,809	31%
Corp Contribution	\$0	\$0	\$200	\$200	1%
RMP	\$282	\$250	\$0	\$532	2%
Market Research	\$50	\$1,250	\$250	\$1,550	4%
Consultants	\$0	\$275	\$0	\$275	1%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$8,766</b>	<b>\$13,625</b>	<b>\$12,609</b>	<b>\$35,000</b>	<b>100%</b>

Note

- Preliminary Marketing Budget based on earliest launch assumption of 3Q '06

**Tactical Timeline:****Contribution Margin:**

Category	2005F (mil)	2006F (mil)
Pain Franchise Net Rev	\$ 450	\$ 443
Marketing Expense	\$ 29	\$ 35
Sales Expense	\$ 40	\$ 23
<b>Contribution Margin</b>	<b>\$ 381</b>	<b>\$ 385</b>

Note

- Contribution includes Marketing Budget expenditures and Sales Force personnel estimate only
- Sales Expense for 2005F factored on \$205K/person and included 40% of 435 reps, 45 DMs, & 8 RSDs (NAMS & NDNs not included)
- Sales Expense for 2006F factored on \$205K/person and included 100% of 100 reps, 12 DMs, & 2 RSDs (NAMS & NDNs not included)

**Market Overview**

The Cephalon Defined US Opioid Market<sup>†</sup> totaled \$5.8 billion in sales in 2004, an increase of 15% compared to the previous year. The number of prescriptions written for opioid pain medications in 2004 totaled 150 million, 7% growth vs 2003.

Chronic pain comprises 2 distinct components – persistent pain and breakthrough pain (BTP). Persistent pain is defined as a baseline pain that can be kept to a moderate intensity or less with around-the-clock opioid treatment. BTP is defined as a transitory exacerbation or flare of pain of moderate-to-severe intensity over ongoing persistent pain in patients receiving chronic opioid medication. In addition to nonopioid analgesics and adjuvant therapy, chronic pain is treated with both long- and short-acting opioids. The long-acting opioids (LAOs) are commonly used to treat persistent pain, while the short-acting opioids (SAOs) are used in addition to the LAOs for the treatment of persistent pain and BTP. Based on market research and feedback, current prescribers perceived that traditional oral SAOs provide adequate relief of a BTP episode. This clearly represents the underrecognition of typical BTP characteristics (rapid onset of pain) and the need for optimal treatment (rapid analgesia). Many physicians fail to recognize BTP as a distinct component of chronic pain, separate from the persistent pain experienced by the majority of chronic cancer and non-cancer pain sufferers. A lack of treatment guidelines specific to BTP, minimal mention of BTP in cancer and noncancer chronic pain treatment guidelines, a lack of clinical data in the literature evidencing noncancer BTP, and limited education or formal training during medical school and residency may also be contributing factors. Ultimately, this lack of understanding of the characteristics and appropriate diagnosis among opioid-prescribing physicians negatively affects their choice of therapy. Most fail to realize the need for a rapid-onset analgesic, which may be the most appropriate choice for many patients suffering from BTP. Currently a relatively small number of physicians experienced in prescribing opioids prescribe ACTIQ, the only currently available rapid onset opioid (ROO – onset of action in 15 minutes vs 30 to 60 minutes offered by traditional oral pure or combination SAOs) for their patients with BTP. While ACTIQ does address the need for rapid onset of pain relief for the treatment of BTP, its success has been limited. This is because of a combination of factors including limited physician understanding of BTP and its optimal treatment, the “lollipop” delivery system, reimbursement restrictions, and low awareness beyond a core group of opioid prescribers.

In order to create significant adoption of fentanyl effervescent buccal tablet (FEBT), Cephalon must take a 2-step approach; successfully convert ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT adopters within the first 90-day postlaunch period and expand the universe of ROO-prescribing physicians. The former step will be the priority at launch because of the loss of ACTIQ patent protection just prior to or at launch of FEBT.

Because of the absence of time to convert ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT adopters, both the market and Cephalon must be fully prepared for FEBT launch. A high level of market conditioning to drive awareness and anticipation for FEBT, establish clear differentiation, and secure favorable reimbursement at launch will be conducted prior to launch. In addition, Cephalon must be prepared to launch and execute the tactical plan immediately upon FDA approval of FEBT.

<sup>†</sup> Cephalon Defined Opioid Market includes long-acting, short-acting, and combination products containing morphine, hydrocodone, hydromorphone, oxycodone, or fentanyl.

## **Key Marketing Issues**

Key marketing issues Cephalon must effectively address include the following:

- **Absence of Time to Convert Prescribers (generic ACTIQ available prior to FEBT launch)**

The most significant marketing issue that Cephalon will face with FEBT is driven by the agreement with the FTC, allowing Barr Laboratories to market a generic OTFC upon FEBT final approval. The proven industry practice has been to drive product switches prior to the introduction of a generic alternative, optimally 12-18 months prior to loss of exclusivity. A successful conversion from the original product to a successor compound is largely dependent on the following variables:

- Adequate time to establish the successor brand prior to the availability of the generic version of the precursor brand
- Level of clear and meaningful differentiation between the precursor and the successor
- Total level of promotional resources/share of voice applied
- Dedicated, sophisticated, and optimally sized sales force with the successor brand in the primary selling position
- Comprehensive managed care strategy to drive favorable reimbursement
- Extensive patient database that will enable DTP (Direct to Patient) correspondence

Unfortunately, Cephalon will not have the opportunity to address the most important variable in securing a successful switch – sufficient time to convert ACTIQ loyalists prior to generic availability. It is expected that Barr will launch a generic OTFC at least 30 days prior to the launch of FEBT. Retail pharmacies will update their systems for a generic OTFC alternative as soon as it becomes available. Most health plans have mandatory generic substitution policies and therefore it is predicted that the majority of ACTIQ prescriptions may be substituted. In addition, in an effort to control costs health plans may establish prior authorization and/or step edits to limit FEBT usage.

Furthermore, prescriptions for CII products may not be refilled. Patients must see their prescribing physician on a monthly basis to receive their next CII prescriptions. Because of this, there is an opportunity to convert ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT before generic OTFC becomes firmly entrenched in the market.

Ultimately, the lack of switch time, the immediate generic availability, and the anticipated erosion rate make the time period prior to launch and immediately following the FEBT launch (30-90 days) critical to the success of the product. To support a successful conversion of ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT adopters, it will be necessary to focus on the remaining variables that drive successful switches. Prior to launch it will be imperative to secure sufficient resources and initiate appropriate non-FEBT promotional tactics. This will help clearly differentiate FEBT and facilitate brand awareness/anticipation among ACTIQ loyalists. It will also be critical to establish a comprehensive managed markets strategy and identify the optimal size, structure, and timing for the implementation of a well-trained Pain Care sales force. Immediately postlaunch, within the first 30-90 days, it will be crucial to implement a focused Loyalists conversion strategy.

- **Limited Ability to Differentiate From ACTIQ at Launch**

At launch the FEBT label will be based on 1 pivotal clinical efficacy trial, the 99-14 trial. The primary end point of this trial was pain relief beginning at 15 minutes postdosing.



This trial design is identical to the ACTIQ pivotal trials. Cephalon is conducting a second clinical efficacy trial in cancer patients with BTP. This trial (3039) is designed to differentiate FEBT from its competitors based on its speed of action. This study measures onset of pain relief as early as 5 minutes and time to meaningful pain relief as measured by stopwatch. This trial will not be completed in time to be included in the initial FEBT NDA. It will be submitted as a label change immediately following approval.

Note: Rapid onset claims from 3039 Study will be included in promotional launch material pending preclearance. These data are anticipated to be published prior to launch and submitted as a label supplement immediately following launch.

- **Significant Resources Required to Effectively Prepare and Launch FEBT**

In order to effectively launch FEBT and convert ACTIQ loyalists, Cephalon will need to allocate significant budgetary and personnel resources for FEBT prelaunch and launch activities which include but are not limited to

- Market conditioning to establish a new, emerging class of opioids (ie, ROOs)
- Comprehensive managed care initiative
- Medical education around BTP awareness (assessment and treatment)
- Dedicated pain franchise personnel from supporting internal departments to ensure timely NDA approval, promotional materials availability, optimal label, and Risk MAP
- Clinical development opportunities for Phase IIIb & IV studies

In addition to securing sufficient resources, it will be critical to gain consensus of resource utilization among internal departments.

- **Anticipated Unfavorable Reimbursement Status**

Third-Party Payers (TPPs) are expected to continue to drive business to generics when available and to place restrictions on premium-priced products. It is anticipated that FEBT will be premium priced. Status of TPP reimbursement of FEBT will have an impact on the success of the brand. Potential barriers utilized by TPPs to limit access may include the following; prior authorizations, usage/quantity limits, step/edit treatment requirements, and tiered co-pay structures. The development of a comprehensive managed markets plan must be completed well in advance of the launch of FEBT to minimize these potential barriers and support access for appropriate patients. The core elements of a comprehensive managed care plan include

- Situation analysis
- Strategies to secure favorable reimbursement
  - Document the burden of illness
  - Development of value proposition for the product
  - Determination of scenario pricing and contracting strategies
- Tactics

- **Limited Awareness and Understanding of Appropriate Diagnosis and Treatment of Breakthrough Pain (BTP)**

The majority of physicians believe that they are managing chronic pain adequately; however, based on market research and feedback from consultants/advisors, there appears to be a lack of understanding among many physicians about the characteristics (eg, rapid onset and relatively short duration of pain), appropriate diagnosis, assessment, and effective treatment of BTP. Many physicians fail to recognize BTP as a distinct component of chronic pain, separate from the persistent pain experienced by the majority of chronic cancer and non-cancer pain sufferers. A lack of treatment guidelines specific to BTP, minimal mention of BTP in cancer, and noncancer chronic pain treatment guidelines, a lack of clinical data in the literature evidencing noncancer BTP

and limited education or formal training during medical school and residency may also be contributing factors. Ultimately, this lack of understanding of the characteristics and appropriate diagnosis of BTP among opioid prescribing physicians negatively affects their choice of therapy. Most fail to realize the need for a rapid onset opioid, which may be the most appropriate choice for many patients suffering from BTP. It will be important to not only raise awareness of BTP (characteristics, assessment, and treatment) but also to clearly differentiate the advantages and risk profile of ROOs from SAOs.

- **Limited KOL/Professional Society/Managed Care Relationships**  
Cephalon is not currently viewed as a market leader in pain. Cephalon has limited relationships with KOLs, managed care decision makers, and leading pain societies compared to other market leaders. It will be important for Cephalon to be viewed as a company committed to the pain community.
- **Challenging Selling/Marketing Environment Requiring Sophistication and Expertise**  
The pain market is very complex and constantly evolving. Because of the potential for abuse, addiction, and diversion, CII medications are subject to stringent DEA and state regulations that are complex for pharmacies and prescribers. These include recording requirements, use of triplicate prescriptions pads in some states, special storage, non-refillable prescriptions, and sampling limitations. For example, coupon sampling programs are prohibited in the state of New York.

Another complexity is that the undertreatment of pain continues to be a widespread problem. It has been postulated that one reason why pain is undertreated is physician fear of prescribing opioid analgesic medications (ie, opiophobia). This fear is mostly attributed to concerns of abuse, addiction, and diversion, as well as scrutiny by regulators that monitor the prescribing and dispensing of these medications. Despite mounting evidence demonstrating that effective analgesia improves quality of life, this fear persists. In general, physicians try to balance fear of opioid abuse (addiction and diversion) and regulatory scrutiny with the patient's need for medications that provide safe and effective analgesia while improving daily functioning and restoring quality of life.

Finally, the FDA requires all newly approved schedule II opioid products to implement a comprehensive Risk Minimization Program that meets the standards set by the Guidance for Industry Development and Use of Risk Minimization Action Plans.

All of the aforementioned factors contribute to the difficulty and complexity of selling/marketing a CII medication. In addition, Cephalon will again be marketing an opioid in a novel delivery system. As with ACTIQ, Cephalon will face challenges inherent to establishing a new delivery platform in a class dominated by oral tablet formulations. Therefore, it is imperative for Cephalon to establish the appropriate size, timing, and structure of a Pain Care Sales Force as well as pain-dedicated Medical Science Liaisons. Ideally, a Pain Care Sales Force in place by Q4 2005 would allow for the development of sufficient therapeutic expertise and adequate rapport with ACTIQ loyalists by FEBT launch (Q3 2006) to effectively execute the conversion strategy.

### **Commercial Vision**

The commercial vision is to establish FEBT as the optimal choice for BTP.

- **Short-term (Market Conditioning):** Build market anticipation for FEBT by clearly differentiating FEBT based on its unique delivery platform and combination of patient benefits, which include rapid onset of analgesia, predictability, and ease of use.



- **Middle-term: (Year 1):** Establish FEBT as the optimal choice for BTP in cancer patients. The initial focus will be to convert ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT adopters, with the goal of switching ACTIQ patients and driving new patient starts with this existing prescribing base. This focused approach will then evolve to expand the market by adding new prescribers. In addition, appropriate nonpromotional, educational efforts will focus on creating market anticipation for the expanded BTP noncancer label.
- **Long-term (Years 2 and beyond):** Solidify FEBT as the optimal choice for the treatment of BTP.

### **Critical Success Factors**

In order for Cephalon to continue to be successful in the BTP market post-ACTIQ patent expiration it must successfully convert ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT adopters and gain additional business from those physicians and patients who had not previously adopted ACTIQ. There are 7 critical success factors that must be addressed in order for FEBT business objectives to be achieved.

#### **1. Successfully convert ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT adopters within the 90-day period**

In order for Cephalon to continue to be successful in the BTP market post-ACTIQ patent expiration it must successfully convert ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT adopters. Because Cephalon will not have time to convert ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT adopters prior to the availability of generic OTFC, the focus will be to implement alternative, proven strategies to drive conversion within the crucial 30- to 90-day period postlaunch.

Prior to launch, appropriate market conditioning initiatives will be implemented to create the necessary awareness and anticipation for FEBT. Special care will be taken to ensure no preapproval promotion of FEBT occurs. Prelaunch initiatives will establish the OraVescent delivery technology and Cephalon as a leader in the pain market. Other initiatives will allow FEBT to be clearly differentiated from ACTIQ and other medications used to treat BTP. In addition, during the prelaunch phase, Cephalon will create and have ready for execution at launch, high-impact promotional tactics/tools that will support the rapid conversion of ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT adopters. A Pain Care Sales Force will be in place by Q4 2005 to provide the opportunity to develop relationships and rapport with key target physicians prior to launch.

Additionally, it will be critical that FEBT is available in pharmacies as soon as possible after final approval because of the availability of generic OTFC. Currently, although aggressive, it has been determined that FEBT can be available in pharmacies 21-30 days post-final FDA approval. At present, Chemistry & Manufacturing Control (CMC), is evaluating various options in order to minimize the time from approval to product availability in pharmacies (for example, manufacturing FEBT "at risk"). This is an area Cephalon must continue to examine in order to determine the earliest point FEBT will be available for appropriate patients.

At launch, Cephalon will begin driving conversion of ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT adopters by leveraging strong relationships and bridging from the solid market conditioning base it established prelaunch. Focused marketing and sales execution will encourage trial and usage of FEBT by ACTIQ loyalists.

## **2. FEBT is clearly differentiated from ACTIQ and other BTP treatment options**

To be successful FEBT must be clearly differentiated from ACTIQ and other options for BTP treatment (eg, SAOs, and other ROOs to be launched in the future). The following product attributes will allow for FEBT to be clearly differentiated:

- Unique effervescent delivery system allowing for the rate and extent of fentanyl absorption to be accelerated
- Rapid onset of analgesia
- Ease of use, convenience
- Predictable pharmacokinetics and pharmacodynamics
- Discreet, unobtrusive administration (no handle)

## **3. Sufficient resources are secured and aligned among internal departments**

Sufficient resources must be secured across all functional departments (marketing, sales, RA, SciComm, MA, pubs, managed care, etc) to effectively execute pre- & postlaunch activities. It will be necessary to have adequate investment and resources to support the following:

- Clinical and Regulatory meet their milestones
- Implementation of marketing conditioning activities
  - Establish Cephalon as a market leader in pain
  - Establish awareness for OraVescent delivery technology
  - Increase awareness of BTP (characteristics, assessment, treatment, etc)
- Determination of the optimal size and structure of the sales force
  - Fully train and prepare a Pain Care Sales Force for launch
  - It is recommended that this sales force be in place by Q4 2005
- Negotiate optimal label which clearly differentiates FEBT (inclusion of 3039 study results)
- Negotiate optimal Risk MAP
  - Focus should be to minimize risk without compromising product growth in the appropriate patient population

## **4. Physicians and patients have access to FEBT**

Achieving favorable reimbursement status will be critical for the success of FEBT. As a result of an expected premium price for FEBT, it is anticipated that TPPs will seek to limit usage by placing hurdles and restrictions on prescribing. In order to obtain favorable reimbursement Cephalon must do the following:

- Demonstrate the burden of illness associated with nonoptimal treatment of BTP
- Demonstrate a value proposition of FEBT and its impact on the burden of illness of BTP
- Establish opioid category of Rapid Onset Opioids and clearly differentiate it from oral SAOs
- Provide appropriate resources to prescribers to overcome TPP barriers
- Apply appropriate resources to TPPs to gain optimal access for FEBT

Additionally, it will be critical that FEBT is available in pharmacies as soon as possible after final approval because of the availability of generic OTFC. Currently, although aggressive, it has been determined that FEBT can be available in pharmacies 21-30 days post-final FDA approval. At present, Chemistry & Manufacturing Control (CMC) is

evaluating various options in order to minimize the time from approval to product availability in pharmacies (for example, manufacturing FEBT “at risk”). This is an area Cephalon must continue to examine in order to determine the earliest point FEBT will be available for appropriate patients.

**5. Continue to develop BTP market by increasing awareness and understanding of BTP and its optimal treatment**

Creating a high level of excitement and anticipation for FEBT will be essential to establishing FEBT in the market. The availability of generic OTFC at launch and the anticipated launch of Rapinyl® (Endo), another rapid onset fentanyl product in 2007, heightens the urgency to accelerate FEBT market penetration.

In order to create excitement and anticipation of FEBT, Cephalon must increase physician understanding of BTP and its optimal treatment. By doing so, the market will more readily recognize the differentiating benefits of FEBT.

**6. Key Opinion Leaders support FEBT as an effective treatment option for BTP**

KOL endorsement of FEBT will be critical to drive market anticipation for FEBT, stimulate product uptake at launch, and secure favorable reimbursement status. In addition, KOL/Pain Societies/Patient Advocacy Groups support will be crucial in efforts to secure a position for FEBT in BTP and chronic cancer and non-cancer pain treatment guidelines.

**7. Minimize risk for abuse, addiction, and diversion**

Like other CII drugs, there will be a fear of abuse, addiction, and diversion associated with FEBT. It will be important to minimize these risks by educating physicians regarding appropriate patient selection and monitoring. In addition, patients will need to be educated about the appropriate and safe use of FEBT for BTP.

Development and implementation of a comprehensive Risk MAP will be important to ensure appropriate patient selection and meet the FDA requirements for a Risk Minimization Program as set by the standards in the recently issued Guidance for Industry Development and Use of Risk Minimization Action Plans.

**Marketing Objectives**

- Achieve high level prelaunch awareness of FEBT (>90% of ACTIQ deciles 5-10)
- Strengthen relationships with core ACTIQ prescribers by increasing call frequency among ACTIQ deciles 3-10 based on PC sales force of 100 reps
  - Baseline measurement: 7.96 PDEs per decile 3-10 prescriber (6 mths, 4/05-9/05)
- Achieve 2006 ACTIQ prescription forecast (≥478K TRx in '06)
- Achieve high level awareness of ROO term (>50% of ACTIQ deciles 3-10 recognize the term by FEBT launch)
- PMEAB and KOL endorse FEBT as valuable treatment option for BTP
- Launch pain franchise and BTP awareness campaigns by 1Q06 and OV delivery technology campaign by 2Q06
- FEBT launch materials are approved and ready at launch
- Convert ACTIQ deciles 3-10 to FEBT (50% prescribed 1 time in first 3 months and 50% of trialers maintain monthly Rx over 6 months)

- Achieve high awareness of FEBT Risk MAP objectives and resources within 6 months postlaunch (>90% of deciles 3-10)
- Detail all identified FEBT stocking pharmacies within 6-month launch period

Other Department Objectives Critical to Successful Launch

- Risk MAP negotiations do not delay final NDA approval
- Sales force is in place and trained
- FEBT is stocked in all major wholesalers by launch
- Publish key clinical trials by dates established in the FEBT Publications Plan
- TPP (TBD with Health Care Systems)
  - X% are aware of FEBT by 7/06
  - X% of commercial and noncommercial plans place FEBT in a favorable reimbursement position by XXXX date
  - X% of FEBT claims are approved X months postlaunch
- Submit label supplement with 3039 data immediately upon FDA approval

Positioning

The following is the FEBT positioning statement based on the 2005 positioning market research study and the anticipated FEBT product profile:

*FEBT is the first and only fentanyl buccal tablet, which utilizes an effervescent reaction to provide the most rapid onset of analgesia of any oral opioid resulting in improved patient functioning and activities of daily living.*

Strategic Plan Summary

In order for Cephalon to continue to be successful in the BTP market post-ACTIQ patent expiration it must successfully convert ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT adopters within the first 90 days postlaunch and drive additional prescriptions from those physicians who had not previously adopted ACTIQ.

The 5 overarching strategies to achieve success with FEBT will be to

1. Establish Cephalon as a market leader and innovator in the pain market
2. Increase BTP awareness – definition, characteristics, prevalence, and assessment among physicians and patients
3. Create awareness around the need for an improved treatment option for BTP
4. Differentiate FEBT from ACTIQ and other BTP treatment options
5. Ensure physicians and appropriate patients have access to FEBT

The substrategies within each of the 5 overarching strategies are listed below.

1. Establish Cephalon as a market leader and innovator in the pain market
  - Initiate public awareness campaign for the Cephalon Pain Franchise
  - Demonstrate Cephalon's commitment to improving pain education and technological advances for the pain community
  - Create dedicated pain care sales and marketing infrastructure to achieve long-range plan for Pain Franchise

2. Increase BTP awareness – definition, characteristics, prevalence, and assessment among physicians and patients
  - Expand the BTP market by increasing physician and patient awareness of BTP, its diagnosis, and optimal treatment
  - Establish BTP as a clinical entity in chronic pain requiring distinct and specific treatment
  - Demonstrate the burden of illness of BTP
3. Create awareness around the need for an improved treatment options for BTP
  - Demonstrate the suboptimal nature of current therapeutic options (traditional oral SAOs)
  - Educate Healthcare Professionals (HCPs) about optimal treatment strategies for BTP
  - Establish and differentiate a new opioid class of ROOs from SAOs
4. Differentiate FEBT from ACTIQ and other BTP treatment options (ie, ACTIQ, oral SAOs, and ROOs in development)
  - Establish presence of OraVescent® delivery technology in pain market
  - Establish and differentiate a new opioid class of ROOs from SAOs
  - Demonstrate a value proposition for FEBT
  - Develop adequate and timely product education awareness via appropriate vehicles
5. Ensure appropriate physicians and patients have access to FEBT
  - FEBT available in pharmacies after final approval
  - Achieve favorable reimbursement status for FEBT
  - Establish and differentiate a new opioid class of ROOs from SAOs
  - Convert ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT within first 30- to 90-day period postlaunch
  - Increase FEBT awareness and trial by SAO loyalists
  - Expand the product label to noncancer BTP

## 2 Situation Analysis – BTP Market

### 2.1 Market Assessment

#### 2.11 Disease Definition

##### Pain Classification

Pain is a prevalent medical problem that impairs the quality of life for millions. It can be short-lived, persistent for months, or debilitating for life. Pain can be classified in 3 ways: temporal aspects (acute, episodic, or chronic); cancer vs noncancer; and pathophysiology (nociceptive vs neuropathic).

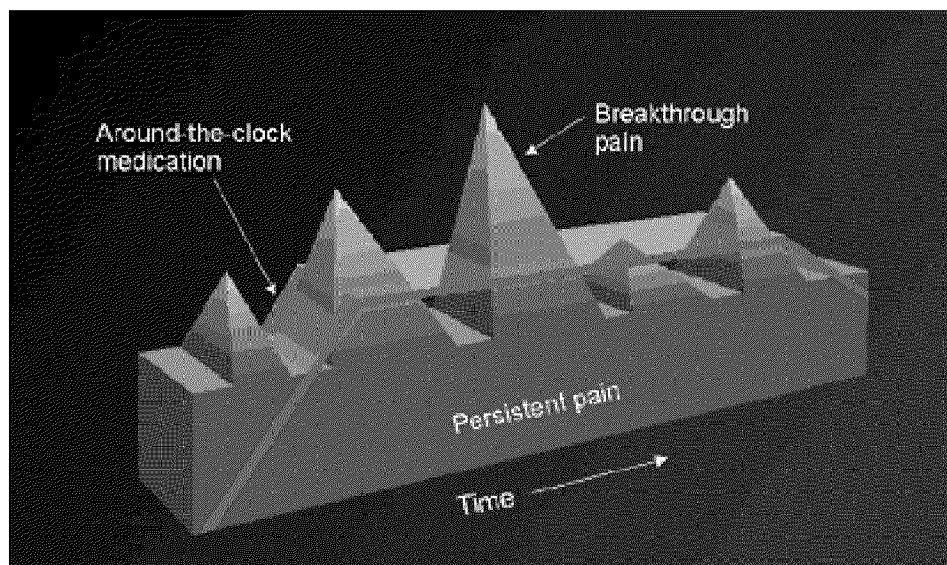
<b>Temporal Characteristics</b>	Acute	Pain of a relatively short duration (often defined as <3 months) that dissipates as healing occurs (eg, injury or trauma).
	Episodic	Intermittent occurrences or flares of pain, with each episode lasting for a brief period of time but recurring across an extended period of time (eg, migraine, sickle cell pain crises).
	Chronic	Pain that persists beyond the normal healing time (often defined as >3 months). Can be categorized as persistent or breakthrough pain (BTP).
<b>Cancer vs Noncancer</b>		Historically, practitioners viewed pain by disease state (eg, cancer vs noncancer); however, there is a shift in thinking from disease state to the pathophysiology of pain.
<b>Pathophysiology</b>	Nociceptive	Pain originates within normal pain pathways, appears to be proportionate with identifiable tissue damage, and has a fairly predictable response to analgesics.
	Neuropathic	Neuropathic pain is caused by damage to the nervous system, is sustained by aberrant somatosensory processing, and has a less predictable response to analgesics.

##### **Chronic Pain**

Managing chronic pain is typically more challenging than managing acute or episodic pain because of physiologic changes that occur as chronic pain develops. Moreover, chronic pain comprises 2 distinct components – persistent pain and breakthrough pain (BTP) – making it even more difficult to manage. Persistent pain is the component most associated with chronic pain, whereas BTP has a lower awareness.

<b>Persistent Pain</b>	Baseline pain that can be kept to a moderate intensity or less with around-the-clock opioid treatment.
<b>Breakthrough Pain (BTP)</b>	Transitory exacerbation or flare of pain of moderate-to-severe intensity over ongoing persistent pain in patients receiving chronic opioid medication.



**Breakthrough Pain****BTP Classification**

BTP can be divided into 3 sub-classifications.

<b>Breakthrough Pain (BTP)</b>	Incident Pain	Occurs in temporal, causal relationship with motor activity.
	Idiopathic Pain	Not associated with a known cause.
	End-of-dose Pain	Occurs before a scheduled dose of around-the-clock medication and can be ameliorated by adjusting the medication dose or dosing schedule.

BTP can strike a patient quickly and without warning (unpredictable) or it may have a more gradual onset before escalating to its maximum intensity. As a result of this phenomenon it has been difficult for physicians and patients to clearly identify, diagnose, and treat BTP separately from persistent pain. This corroborates a need for a more universal definition and understanding of BTP.

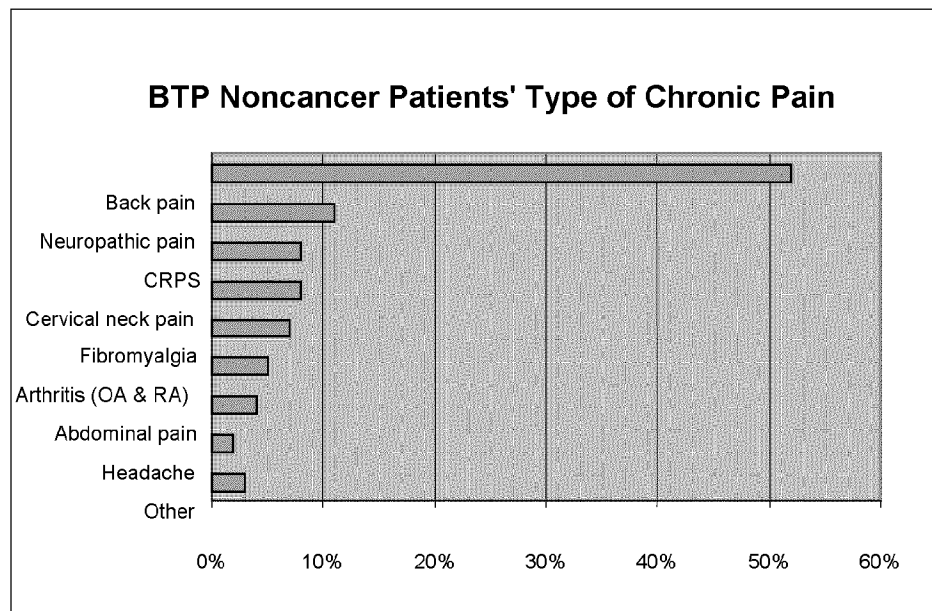
**Portenoy BTP Survey**

Portenoy et al conducted 2 surveys to understand BTP characteristics and prevalence in both cancer (1990) and noncancer patients (2005). The surveys revealed that there is a high prevalence of BTP in both the cancer and noncancer patient populations, with a median of 2-4 episodes/day characterized by escalation to maximum intensity in as little as 3-5 minutes and a median duration of 30-60 minutes. Cancer pain patients appear to have twice the number of episodes (median of 4) lasting ½ the duration (30 min) compared to non-cancer pain patients.

BTP Findings	BTP CA Data, '90 (n=63)	BTP Non-CA Data, '05 (n=228)
Patients experiencing BTP	64%	74%
Median # of BTP episodes/Day	4	2
Median duration of BTP episodes	30 min	60 min
Incident vs idiopathic related	55% vs 45%	92% vs 8%
Pathophysiology		
Somatic	33%	38%
Visceral	20%	4%
Neuropathic	27%	18%
Mixed	20%	40%

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The number of noncancer pain patients experiencing BTP is significantly higher than cancer-pain patients as a result of the respective size of patient populations. The most prevalent type of noncancer BTP is back pain, with neuropathic pain coming in a distant second.



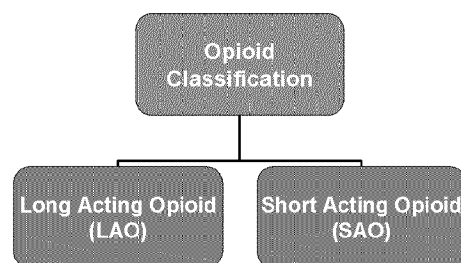
Source: Portenoy, et al. The prevalence and characteristics of breakthrough pain in patients with chronic non-cancer pain. March 2005 APS meeting poster.

Patients with BTP suffer from both physical consequences (eg, reduced functional ability and poor overall health) and psychological consequences (eg, frustration, fear, anxiety, and depression). BTP not only has a negative effect on patients' quality of life, it also increases the economic burden to both patients and the healthcare system. On average, cancer patients suffering from BTP cost the healthcare system on a per-patient basis of \$12,000 per year. (Fortner, et al. 2002).



## 2.12 Treatment Standards and Options

Opioids are used to treat acute, episodic, and chronic pain (including BTP) associated with multiple disease states. The choice of opioid depends on the chronic or acute nature of the pain, severity, and patient tolerance or willingness to take the medication. The United States Pharmacopeia (USP) classifies opioids as either long-acting opioids (LAO) or short-acting opioids (SAO).



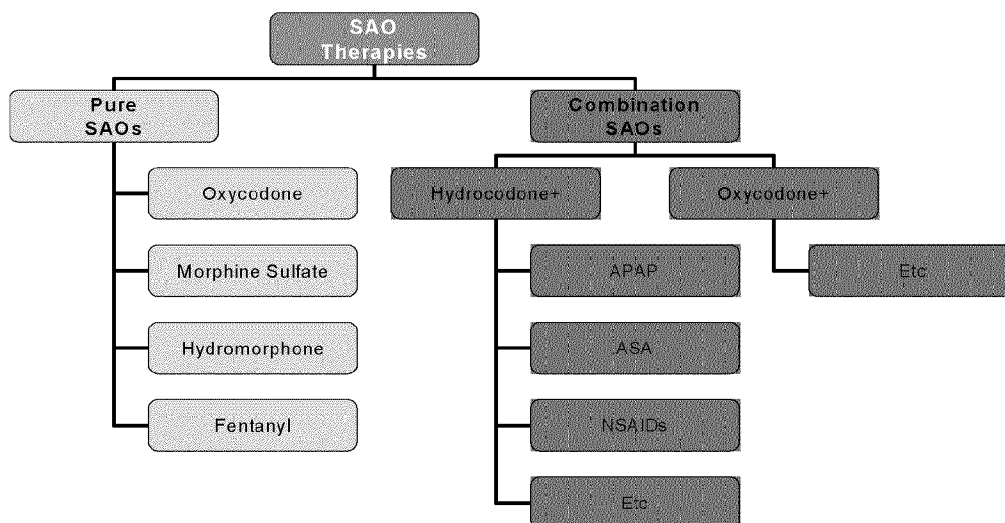
### Long-Acting Opioids

LAOs are most commonly prescribed to treat the persistent pain component of chronic cancer and noncancer pain in patients who are considered opioid tolerant. LAOs are available as oral medications (MS Contin, OxyContin, Avinza, Palladone) and as a transdermal patch (Duragesic). Chronic pain is loosely defined as pain that persists for a specified time that is arbitrarily determined (eg, 3 months or 6 months) or beyond the expected period of healing. The duration of analgesia ranges from 8-72 hours, while onset of analgesia ranges from 45 minutes to 12 hours. The convenience afforded by the duration of analgesia is the key benefit of long-acting opioid products. The onset of analgesia is not a differentiating factor for LAOs.

LAOs are not considered a direct competitor in the BTP market. Various manufacturers have aggressively educated physicians to minimize the occurrence of BTP (ie, that when appropriately medicated with an LAO, patients should not experience BTP). They promote increasing the dose or the frequency of the LAO to avoid BTP flares. Although not congruent with the opinions of most key opinion leaders, many community-based physicians currently adhere to this philosophy.

### Short-Acting Opioids

SAOs, which are prescribed to treat both the persistent and BTP component of chronic cancer and noncancer pain, can be further classified in terms of pure vs combination therapy. Pure SAOs include only an opioid (OxylR, ACTIQ), while combination SAOs incorporate both an opioid and a nonopioid analgesic (ie, oxycodone and APAP, oxycodone and ASA, etc).



### ***Pure Short-Acting Opioids***

Cephalon competes in the pure SAO market. In addition to fentanyl, there are 3 pure oral SAOs on the market: oxycodone, morphine sulfate, and hydromorphone. These hydrophilic compounds are available in both branded and generic formulations. Despite the heavy reliance of the market on oral pure SAOs for the treatment of BTP, these products are less than ideal because of a lack of rapidity of analgesic effect. Onset of meaningful analgesia can take up to 30-60 minutes with these products.

Oral transmucosal fentanyl citrate, ACTIQ (OTFC), is also considered a pure SAO. Because of its unique delivery system, ACTIQ has a faster onset of action (15 minutes) as compared to oral hydrophilic SAOs. Current perception of ACTIQ primary benefit is rapid onset of analgesia (by both users and nonusers). For nonusers, the connection between rapid onset and the patient benefit is not fully elucidated. This will be critical for the success of FEBT.

### ***Combination Short-Acting Opioids***

Combination SAOs are the most frequently prescribed opioids (>127MM TRx in 2004). Examples of combination SAOs include Percocet, Vicodin, and Lortab. As evidenced in primary and secondary market research, opioid combination products are often prescribed for the treatment of BTP but are less than ideal for the following reasons:

- Limited dosing flexibility resulting from low opioid-dosage options (for use in mild-to-moderate pain only)
- Dose-ceiling effect because of presence of APAP, ASA, and NSAIDs causing intolerable side effects
- Onset of meaningful analgesia 30-60 minutes

Physicians use this subclass of opioids to treat acute pain, episodic, and chronic pain (including BTP) as a result of their ease of use and familiarity. These drugs do not require a complicated approval process (eg, triplicate prescriptions required in some states, CIII allow for phone-in prescriptions and refills) and have greater availability at pharmacies.

Combination SAOs (primarily hydrocodone) are frequently first-line options for both moderate and severe BTP. Pure SAOs are frequently first-line options for severe BTP; however, first-line use in moderate BTP is less prevalent (see Appendix 8: “Table 2: BTP First-line Therapy”).

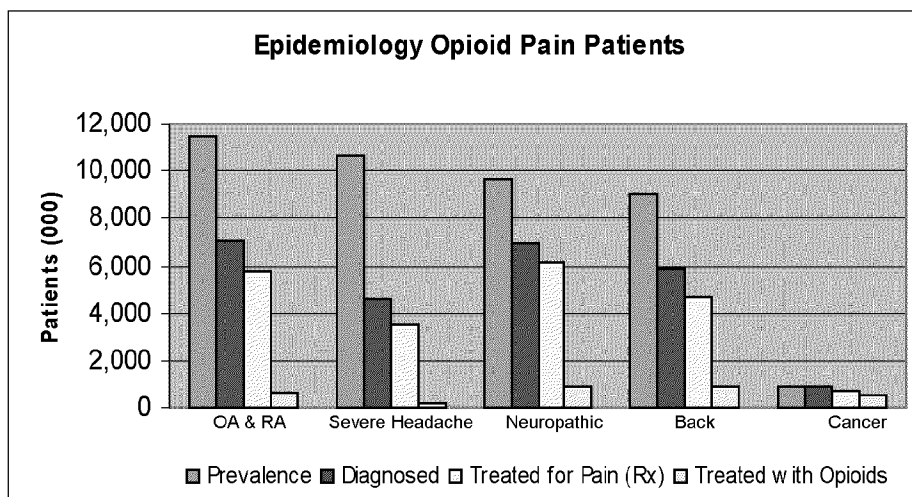
**Note:** For FEBT to be successful in the opioid market, it will be critical to establish a separate and distinct class of opioids, rapid onset opioids (ROOs). This class of opioids will need to be recognized and endorsed as being specifically designed and the most appropriate to use to treat BTP. Traditional hydrophilic SAOs are generally not an appropriate treatment option for BTP because of onset of action, in contrast to lipophilic SAOs such as fentanyl.

### **Abuse, Addiction, and Diversion**

Unfortunately, undertreatment of chronic pain continues to be a widespread problem. It has been postulated that one reason why chronic pain is undertreated is physician fear of prescribing opioid analgesic medications (opiophobia). This fear is mostly attributed to concerns of abuse, addiction, and diversion, as well as scrutiny by regulators that monitor the prescribing and dispensing of these medications. Despite mounting evidence demonstrating that effective analgesia improves quality of life, this fear persists. In general, physicians try to balance fear of opioid abuse (addiction and diversion) and regulatory scrutiny with the patient’s need for medications that provide safe and effective analgesia while improving daily functioning and restoring quality of life.

### **Assessment of Opioid Use by Disease State**

The chart below presents derived estimates of prevalence, diagnosis rates, and treated patients by the leading disease states treated with opioids:



Source: Analysis of secondary data reports by Cephalon Market Research Department.

The prevalence of cancer-pain patients is significantly less than non-cancer pain patients; however, the percentage of cancer-pain patients diagnosed and utilizing opioids is relatively high. The vast majority of pain is therefore associated with noncancer disease states. It is diagnosed roughly 50%-75% of the time; however, it is typically treated with nonopioid analgesics. Opioid use relative to the prevalence is extremely low in the non-cancer pain population, as first-line use is typically limited to severe pain. In comparing these general pain

data with Portenoy's BTP survey identified in the previous section, it becomes clear that there is a need to study BTP therapies in areas beyond cancer – in particular in back and neuropathic patients.

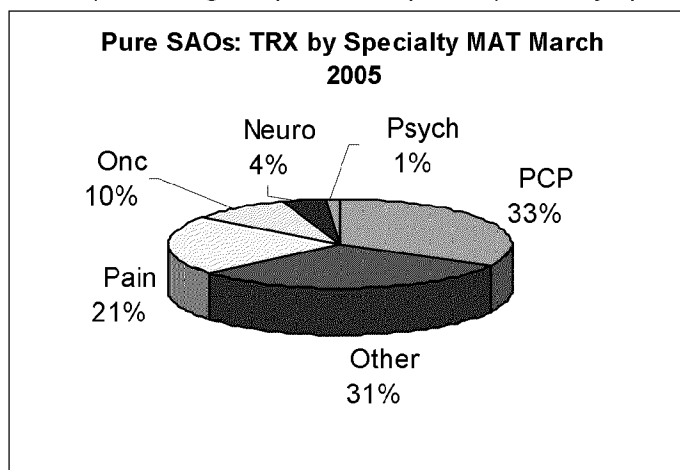
## 2.14 Key Stakeholders

Key stakeholders in the chronic pain market include

- Healthcare Practitioners (HCPs): Physicians, Nurses, Physician Assistants, Nurse Practitioners
- Key Opinion Leaders (KOLs)
- Pain Societies/Media/Patient Advocacy Groups
- Patients
- Regulators
  - FDA, DEA, FSMB, Law Enforcement
- Managed Care/TPPs
- Retail Pharmacists

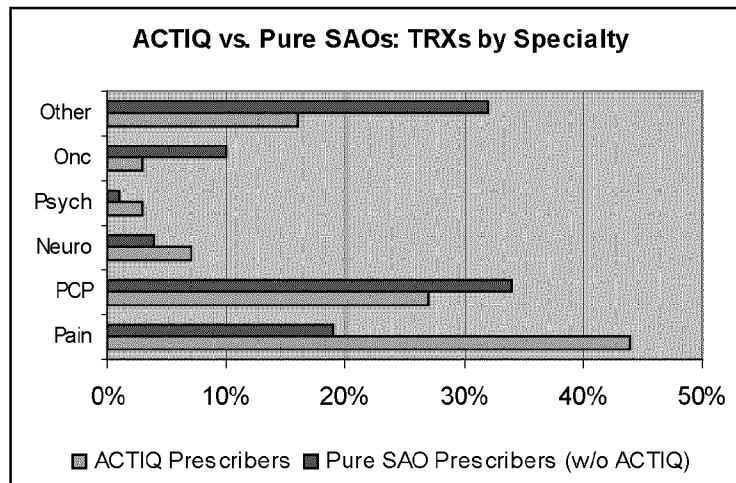
### Prescribers (HCPs)

Chronic pain patients who require treatment with opioids to manage their persistent pain and BTP episodes are treated by a diverse range of specialists as well as primary care physicians. The chart below shows the percentage of pure SAO prescriptions by specialty:



Source: IMS Health, NPA.

Of note is the contrast of physician prescribing percentages between ACTIQ and the other pure SAOs. The chart below displays the percentage of prescriptions written by specialty segments for ACTIQ vs other pure SAOs. The majority of ACTIQ prescriptions are written by pain specialists (43%) or PCPs (27%) while the other pure SAOs are written across a greater variety of specialties. This is not unexpected because of the current ACTIQ targeting process/model, indication, and promotional practices. This difference may indicate that an expanded BTP label would provide an opportunity to introduce FEBT to other appropriate pure SAO prescribing specialties.



Source: IMS Health, NPA.

### **Productivity by Specialty Segment**

#### **Pure SAO Productivity by Specialty Segment**

Specialty	Pure SAO*		ACTIQ	
	Prescriber Count 1/04-12/04	TRx / Prescriber	Prescriber Count 1/04-12/04	TRx / Prescriber
PMD	9,156	139	3,048	68
Onc	12,072	45	1,713	8
Nuero	4,010	39	848	37
PCP	102,578	22	6,051	15
A/O	104,744	13	4,000	18

Source: NDC, 2004.

\* Pure SAOs includes Actiq, Dilaudid, Hydromorphone, Roxanol, MSIR, SA Morphine, Oxy IR, Oxyfast, Roxicodone, Oxycodone HCl

While a number of specialties write pure SAOs, on a per physician basis the most productive segment is Pain Medicine Doctors (139 TRx/MD in '04). All other segments are relatively the same in productivity but far less than the Pain segment (ranging from 13-45 TRx/MD in '04).

#### **ACTIQ Productivity by Specialty Segment**

The most productive physician segment for ACTIQ is also Pain (68 TRx/MD in '04). In contrast to oral pure SAOs the second most productive physician segment for ACTIQ is Neurologists (37 TRx/MD in '04). It is interesting to note there is a difference in the Oncology segment productivity for pure SAOs vs ACTIQ (45 vs 8 TRx/MD, respectively).

### **Key Opinion Leaders (KOLs)**

KOLs are luminary HCPs and academicians who play a vital role in the success of a brand throughout its life cycle, especially with new and innovative therapies coming to market. KOLs help shape the following: clinical development plans, product positioning, brand development, life cycle management, prescribing practices, publications, medical education, managed care, etc. Studies for more than 25 years have shown that the number 1 reason a physician/HCP changes prescribing habits is peer-to-peer influence. For this reason it is important to work with these individuals to generate awareness, understanding, and appropriate use of FEBT for BTP.

### **Pain Societies/Media/Patient Advocacy Groups**

Other groups having influence include the media and pain societies (eg, American Pain Society, American Academy of Pain Medicine, and the American Society of Addiction Medicine). Opioid treatment is associated with stigma and fear of addiction. In addition there is increasing focus on their potential for abuse and diversion. The media, pain societies, and patient advocacy groups are in a position to influence opinions on pain treatment in both positive and negative ways. For this reason it is important to work with these groups to generate awareness and understanding of appropriate use of opioids in BTP.

### **Patients**

Another important stakeholder in the sphere of influence is the patients suffering from chronic pain. It will be important to continue to communicate to patients both pre- and postlaunch of FEBT to ensure appropriate education regarding the use of a CII medication for the treatment of BTP.

### **Regulators**

The Cephalon Pain Franchise has been dedicated to the appropriate use of a CII medication and is a pioneer in the creation of a comprehensive Risk Management Program since the launch of ACTIQ. Cephalon is committed to minimizing the potential for abuse, addiction and diversion for ACTIQ and future opioid analgesics as they come to market. Cephalon will continue to communicate with federal and state regulators in order to achieve the most optimal Risk MAP (Risk Minimization Action Plan) and to ensure public safety.

### **Managed Care/Third-Party Payers**

Many chronic pain patients remain marginalized by BTP because BTP is underrecognized and the economic and social value of rapid onset analgesia has not been established. A recent publication of BTP treatment guidelines indicates that the optimal treatment for BTP is a rapid ROO; unfortunately this will need ongoing validation and understanding with TPPs. Also, the chronic pain market is a highly genericized market. TPPs continually seek to control costs by driving utilization to generics or lower cost branded products. TPPs use tools such as tiered co-pays, prior authorization, step edits, and/or quantity limits to impact drug utilization. Therefore, it will be extremely important for Cephalon to continue to improve its relationship with TPPs in order to secure favorable reimbursement for a branded opioid analgesic. For this reason, a comprehensive managed markets plan will need to be executed in order to achieve favorable reimbursement status and access to FEBT for appropriate physicians and patients.

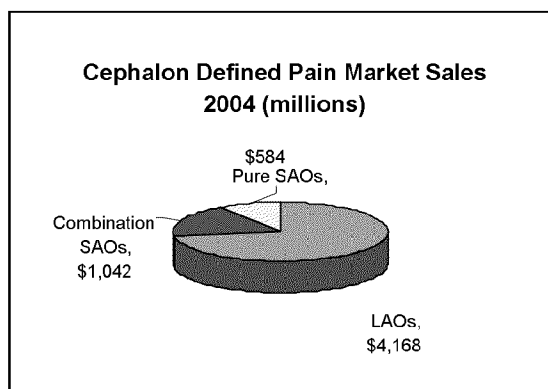


**Retail Pharmacists**

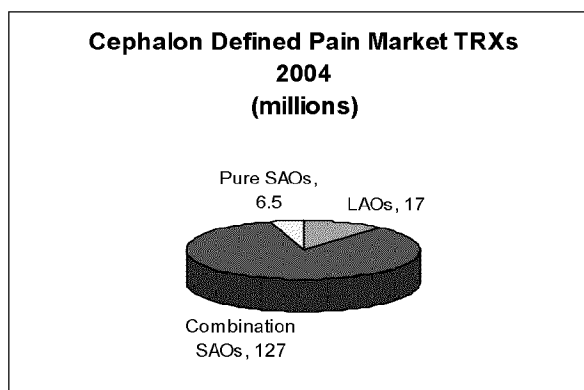
Another key stakeholder in the chronic pain market is retail pharmacy. Since opiophobia does not just exist in physicians and patients, it will be important for Cephalon to increase educational efforts with pharmacists around BTP awareness and its optimal treatment (rapid onset opioids). Because of the regulations and restrictions associated with CII medications it will also be important for the Cephalon Trade Relations group to execute a comprehensive pharmacy stocking plan in order to ensure FEBT is available in pharmacies 21-30 days postapproval.

**2.15 US Market Size and Overview****Cephalon Opioid Pain Market**

The Cephalon-defined opioid pain market includes LAOs, pure SAOs, and combination SAOs. This market is highly genericized, with numerous generic and branded generic alternatives available in all the subclasses. Sales for this defined market totaled \$5.8B in 2004, a growth of 15% compared to the previous year.



Source: IMS Health, SPS.

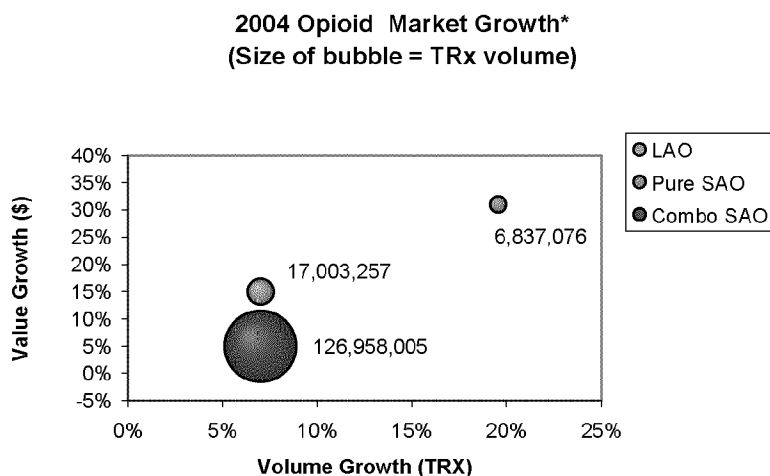


Source: IMS Health, NPA.

LAOs are the foundation of chronic pain management. Sales for this class totaled \$4.2B in 2004, +15% vs '03. The next biggest class based in sales is the combination SAO class which had sales of \$1.0B in 2004, but only +5% vs '03. The pure SAO sales total \$569MM but had a growth of 36%. The majority of the pure SAO sales growth was a result of ACTIQ, which represented the majority of the sales (nearly 60%).

In contrast to sales, the dominant class in terms of TRX's is the combination SAO class with 127MM in 2004, +7% vs '03.

Overall the opioid analgesic market can be characterized as having a dominant combination SAO market segment with low value growth (+5%) and low volume growth (+7%). LAOs have a moderate prescription volume with a slightly higher value growth (+15%) but less volume growth (+7%). Pure SAO market had the highest value growth (+31%) and volume growth (+24%) but the lowest prescription volume.



\* Opioid market definition: oxycodone, morphine, hydromorphone, and fentanyl  
Source: *IMS Health*, NPA = volume, *IMS Health*, NPS = value.

### **Cephalon BTP Market Direct Competitors – Pure SAOs**

Within the pure SAO class there are 4 products: oxycodone, morphine, hydromorphone, and fentanyl. With the exception of fentanyl, all the products in the pure SAO class are available as branded or generic formulations.

### **Pure SAO Sales Value Analysis**

In 2004, the sales for the pure SAOs were \$569M, +35% vs '03. The leading product in terms of sales was ACTIQ, with \$366MM (64% share), +44% vs '03. Generics totaled \$135 million (24% share), +61% vs '03.

A breakdown of pure SAO value by product class is as follows:

- Fentanyl – \$366MM, +44%
- Oxycodone – \$105MM, +18%
- Hydromorphone – \$68MM, +31%
- Morphine – \$30MM, +9%



	2003	% of Total Market Dollars	2004	% of Total Market Dollars	Dollar Δ 2003/2004
Pure Short-Acting Opioids	Total Dollars		Total Dollars		
<b>Total</b>	\$422,668,764	<b>100%</b>	\$568,850,140	<b>100%</b>	<b>35%</b>
Oxycodone products	\$89,169,264	21%	\$104,919,401	18%	18%
Oxycodone HCl (8 generics)	\$32,030,412	8%	\$61,188,538	11%	91%
ROXICODONE	\$43,611,677	10%	\$36,943,592	6%	-15%
OXYDOSE	\$4,578,418	1%	\$6,605,710	1%	44%
OXYIR	\$4,411,081	1%	\$161,852	0%	-96%
OXYFAST	\$4,537,776	1%	\$19,709	0%	-100%
Morphine products	\$27,764,597	7%	\$30,369,678	5%	9%
Morphine Sulf (9 generics)	\$19,965,797	5%	\$26,132,392	5%	31%
Roxanol	\$6,112,223	1%	\$4,204,910	1%	-31%
MSIR	\$1,686,577	0%	\$32,376	0%	-98%
Hydromorphone products	\$51,734,803	12%	\$67,561,061	12%	31%
Hydromorphone HCl (15 generics)	\$31,972,020	8%	\$47,851,164	8%	50%
Dilaudid	\$19,762,783	5%	\$19,709,897	3%	0%
Fentanyl product	\$254,000,000	60%	\$366,000,000	64%	44%
ACTIQ	\$256,096,050	60%	\$366,000,000	64%	44%

Green = compound class Blue = generic Yellow = branded  
Source: IMS Health, NSP. (based on WAC price)

### Prescription Volume Analysis

In 2004, approximately 6.8 million prescriptions were written for pure SAOs, +20% vs '03. The majority of pure SAO prescriptions written in 2004 were for generics (82%). Approximately 12% of the total prescriptions were for branded products. ACTIQ captured 6% of the total prescriptions (half of all branded products).

The class prescription growth is attributable primarily to generics. The only branded products to demonstrate growth were ACTIQ (34%) and Oxydose (51%).

Pure Short-Acting Opioids	2003	% of Total Market	2004	% of Total Market	TRX Δ 2003/2004
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,718,677</b>		<b>6,837,076</b>		<b>20%</b>
<b>Oxycodone products:</b>	2,896,666		3,444,989		19%
Oxycodone HCl (8 generics)	2,090,711	37%	2,929,647	43%	40%
OXYIR	166,766	3%	18,362	0%	-89%
OXYFAST	42,976	1%	6,183	0%	-86%
ROXICODONE	527,852	9%	387,378	6%	-27%
OXYDOSE	68,361	1%	103,419	2%	51%
<b>Morphine products:</b>	1,526,176		1,770,311		16%
Morphine Sulf (9 generics)	1,240,055	22%	1,640,588	24%	32%
MSIR	93,707	2%	11,720	0%	-87%
Roxanol	192,414	3%	118,003	2%	-39%
<b>Hydromorphone products:</b>	969,638		1,185,717		22%
Hydromorphone HCl (15 generics)	773,183	14%	1,008,764	15%	30%
Dilaudid	196,455	3%	176,953	3%	-10%
<b>Fentanyl product:</b>					
ACTIQ	326,197	6%	436,059	6%	34%

Green = compound class Blue = generic Yellow = branded  
Source: IMS Health, NPA.

## 2.16 Reimbursement/Managed Markets

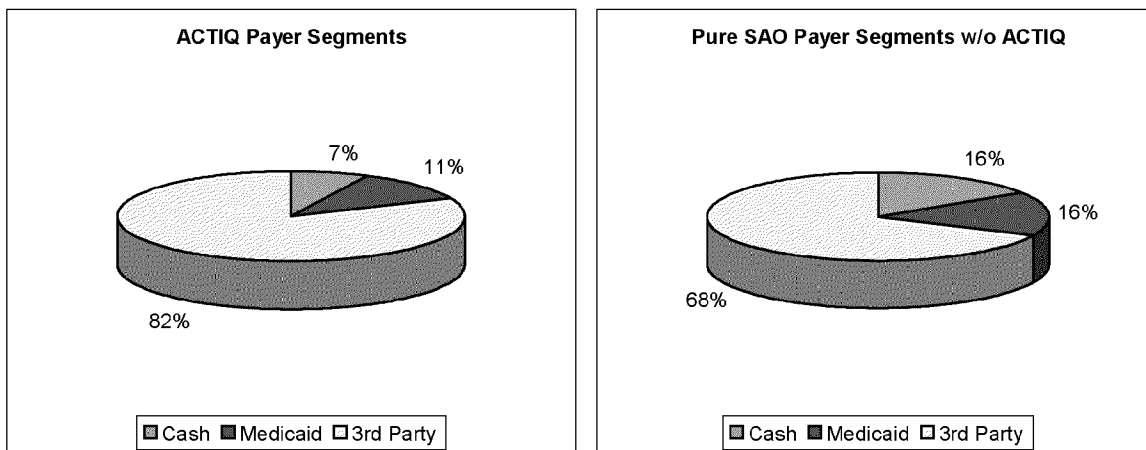
For a background on reimbursement/managed markets please refer to Appendix 1.

### ACTIQ Experience in Managed Markets

ACTIQ is the best analog for analysis of the reimbursement situation FEBT is likely to face at launch. ACTIQ unit sales can be broken into 3 payers or segments:

1. Patients who pay cash for their prescription
2. Government (Medicaid)
3. Third party (which includes anyone other than the patient or government paying for a script. This would include managed care, insurers, worker's compensation, and employers).

The following charts show the contrast of payer segments for ACTIQ vs pure SAOs:



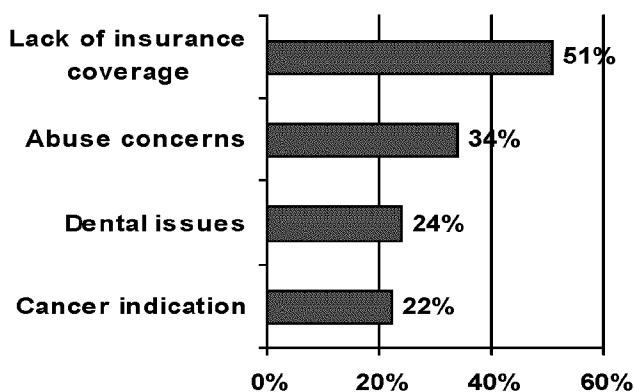
Source: 12/04 NDC SMART Plan

The premium price of ACTIQ compared to the other pure SAOs (all available in generic form) impacts the payer split percentage. The majority of ACTIQ units are paid for by TPPs (82%), while only 68% of the pure SAOs units are paid for by TPPs. A greater percentage of the pure SAOs units vs. ACTIQ are paid for by Medicaid, 16% and 11%, respectively. And particularly because of the price difference, a greater percentage of the pure SAOs are paid for with cash (16%), compared to ACTIQ (7%).

### Reimbursement

## BARRIERS TO ACTIQ USAGE

- Physicians report that the biggest factor limiting usage is Payers that are using the cancer indication to limit insurance coverage of off-label usage.



Source: Decision Development Inc, ACTIQ Pain Specialist Use Study, July '05

Reimbursement was noted as the leading barrier to prescribing ACTIQ in all recent primary research studies (ie, Pain Specialist Use Study, 7/05; Pain Market Dynamic Study, 2/05; IMS Chart Study Audit, 12/04; and Egg Study, 9/04). According to the IMS Chart Study Audit, 67% of the physicians reported having experienced insurance coverage issues with ACTIQ. With managed care organizations (MCOs) increasing restrictions on reimbursement (tiered co-pay, prior authorization, step edits, etc), FEBT will incur similar issues. These complexities have an unquantifiable negative impact on prescribing behavior as physicians become more selective in their use of ACTIQ or opt for alternatives with minimal resistance.

According to the recent Pain Specialist Use Study, all physicians (100%) mentioned ACTIQ as one of the most difficult products in which to obtain reimbursement. In fact, ACTIQ was mentioned twice as often as any other drug (among both LAOs & SAOs). Despite these hurdles, those who have persisted were able to obtain approval (94% in '04, according to the NDC Claims Database).

Fourth quarter 2004 claims data reveal the leading reasons for initial rejection related to reimbursement requirements, including lack of prior authorization (43%), which is on the rise; plan limit exceeded (13%); product not covered (11%); and DUR reject error/step edit (5%).

According to the Cephalon NAM Formulary Grid the "plan limit exceeded" is primarily associated with exceeding the "number of units covered by month." The most common limit is 4 units per day (120 units per month). A lesser number of plans cover 6 units per month (180 units). A few plans place extreme limits on quantity per month such as 6 units per 7-day period or 24 units per month.

#### ACTIQ Claim Rejection Reasons

ACTIQ Claim Rejection Reason	1Q03	2Q03	3Q03	4Q03	1Q04	2Q04	3Q04	4Q04
PRIOR AUTHORIZATION REQUIRED	25%	27%	28%	33%	35%	38%	40%	43%
PLAN LIMITATIONS EXCEEDED	19%	17%	15%	15%	12%	13%	13%	13%
PRODUCT/SERVICE NOT COVERED	11%	11%	9%	8%	7%	6%	9%	7%
DUR REJECT ERROR (Step edit)	4%	3%	5%	6%	6%	6%	5%	5%

Source: December NDC Dynamic Claims Analyze: commercial patients only – no Medicaid or cash patients included.

#### Medicaid

State Medicaid programs continue to be subjected to state budgetary pressures and therefore are increasingly moving toward preferred drug lists, quantity limits, prior authorization, appeal processes for denials, coverage for only FDA-approved indications, and supplemental rebate programs. ACTIQ serves as the best analog for FEBT. ACTIQ has been put under prior authorization in a number of states over the course of the last year and we expect this trend will continue. Currently, 27 states have ACTIQ under a prior authorization. According to the claims data, most are eventually approved; however, it is unclear what impact this burdensome process has on future physician-prescribing behavior. As many as 10 states have limited ACTIQ coverage to its indication (BTP in cancer patients) along with quantity limit restrictions. Of the 22 states that continue to allow unimpeded access, nearly half are the less populated states, so ACTIQ usage probably has little impact on their budget.

**Medicare**

Medicare benefit is administered and funded in 4 parts. Parts A and B only cover in-office pharmaceutical use, where Part C typically provides a generic formulary. Part D, which goes into effect January 2006, includes a new PBM administered outpatient drug benefit option which is not restricted to generics (see Managed Care Appendix 1 for background). The logistics of Part D continue to evolve. Plans will have flexibility (subject to certain constraints) to establish varying features of the formulary:

- Levels of cost-sharing requirements and coverage limits other than “standard” coverage
- Lists of drugs to include on their formulary, and on which tier
- Cost management tools, ie, PA, step therapy, tier levels

Under Part D, FEBT will have difficulty gaining formulary coverage because of the following reasons:

- Anticipated premium pricing
- Limited indication at launch
- Formularies set using USP definitions

Another concern regarding Part D is the potential for a gap in coverage for many seniors. Once a senior reaches \$2,250 in total drug costs (the combination of what Medicare and the senior have paid), Medicare stops covering drug costs until the senior spends another \$2,850 on medication. After this level of expenditure occurs the senior is eligible for catastrophic coverage. This gap in coverage is commonly referred to as the “donut hole.” Utilization of premium priced products by Medicare Part D beneficiaries is expected to be limited due to this “donut hole” in coverage. Cephalon will continue to monitor program developments and adjust strategies accordingly.

**Managed Markets Summary**

Third-Party Payers (TPPs) are arguably the most important stakeholder for FEBT. Unless some reasonable level of reimbursement for FEBT is available, doctors and patients will be discouraged from using the product. The continuing trend of TPPs to drive utilization toward generics and less expensive brand alternatives will be a major challenge for Cephalon when it brings FEBT to market. This challenge will be magnified by the fact that BTP and its appropriate treatment are not well understood by the payers. It will be essential for Cephalon to educate the payers on the burden of illness associated with nonoptimally treated BTP, differentiate ROOs from oral SAOs, and to demonstrate a strong value proposition for FEBT. Because these stakeholders are of such high importance a separate Managed Markets Plan has been created to comprehensively address the issues, strategies, and tactics that have been created. See Appendix 2, Managed Markets Plan.

**2.17 Product Conversion Analogs**

A leading strategy employed by pharmaceutical companies to manage the loss of product patent protection is to launch a successor brand. An extensive external assessment of companies that have switched their users from one drug that was losing patent life in the near term (“the precursor”) to another similar drug (“the successor”) was completed (see Appendix 8: Table 1: Product Conversion Analogs Analysis, for details). This analysis revealed that successful conversion from a precursor to a successor brand includes the following variables:

- Adequate time to establish the successor brand prior to the availability of the generic version of the precursor brand
- Level of clear and meaningful differentiation between the precursor and the successor
- Total level of promotional resources/share of voice applied
- Dedicated, sophisticated, and optimally sized sales force with the successor brand in the primary selling position
- Comprehensive managed care strategy to drive favorable reimbursement
- Extensive patient database that will enable Direct to Patient (DTP) correspondence

While the analog selection criteria included non-life threatening indications and targeting towards a primary care audience, the learnings are still applicable to the FEBT situation.

#### Summary Learnings

Conversion Attributes	Successful	Unsuccessful
<b>Time</b>	Time to establish new brand before generic launch >= 12 mths	Time to establish new brand before generic launch <6 mths
<b>Differentiation</b>	Differentiating feature that resonated with HCPs	Differentiating feature only applicable to small % of patient population
<b>Sales Force</b>	Large sales force with product in primary position - Median size - 2000 reps with 93% in primary position	Only first priority for small % of sales force - Between 300-600 reps promoting as first priority
<b>Budget</b>	Significant promotional budget - 10%-30% of precursor product sales (the year before successor launch)	Not enough promotional dollars to support switch - 3%-5% of precursor product sales (the year prior to successor launch)
<b>Managed Care</b>	Before generics came to market, preferred access to important managed care plans was secured	Did not gain preferred access to managed care formularies
<b>Pricing</b>	Greater conversion for successor brands launched with discounted price to precursor	
<b>Patient Outreach</b>	Extensive patient database that enabled DTP correspondence	

For more details on the conversion analysis, please see Appendix 11.

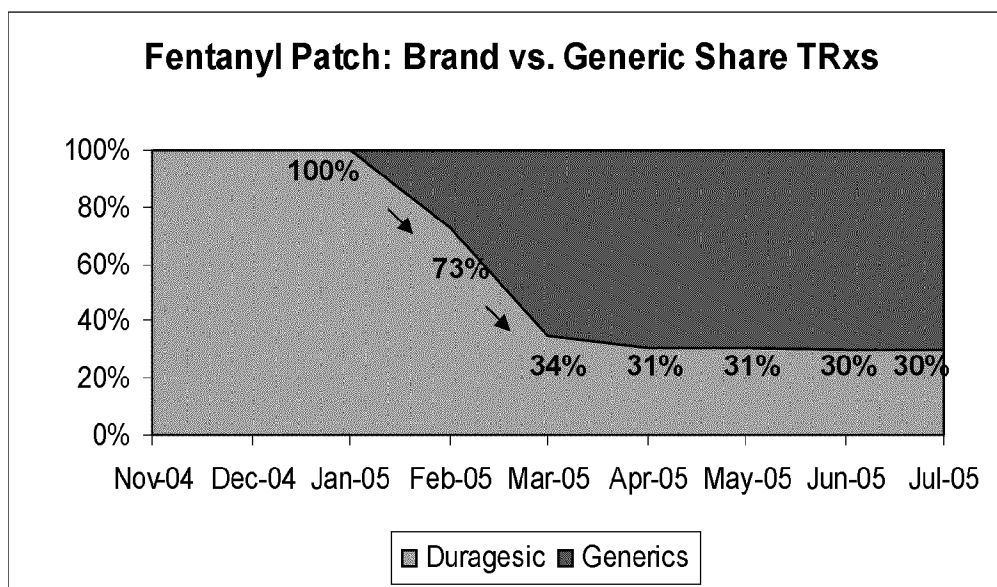
### 2.18 Generic Erosion

The rate and extent of generic erosion of a branded product's business has steadily increased over time. Generic companies are more sophisticated and payers are more effective in their efforts to influence the way prescriptions are written and filled. Unless a branded product has unique qualities/characteristics that are clinically differentiated, it will be susceptible to significant generic erosion. In general, the trend has been for branded products to lose 30% in the first month, 50%-60% by 6 months, and 80%-90% within a year, regardless of the number of



generic entrants. The most well-known example is Prozac, which lost 73% of its share within the first 2 weeks and retained only 16% at 12 months post-generic introduction. At 12 months the generics were only 15% the price of Prozac.

Duragesic may serve as the best analog for what may be expected for the erosion of ACTIQ. As discussed previously, the conversion of ACTIQ prescriptions to generic OTFC prescriptions may make it more difficult to switch patients and trial them on FEBT. In January 2005, Duragesic started to face generic erosion. In the first full month of generic competition (February), Duragesic share of the LAO fentanyl molecule was 73% and in the second month the branded product had only a 35% share of the molecule.



Source: IMS Health, NPA.

Two companies are marketing a generic transdermal fentanyl, Novartis and Mylan. The generics' AWP pricing is a 6.2% discount to Duragesic according to the March 2005 *Redbook*.

Transdermal fentanyl	Duragesic	Generic Avg	Discount AWP
25 mcg, 5s	\$ 76.98	\$ 72.14	6.2%
50 mcg, 5s	\$ 140.71	\$ 131.86	6.2%
75 mcg, 5s	\$ 214.64	\$ 201.14	6.2%
100 mcg, 5s	\$ 284.87	\$ 267.94	6.2%

Source: March 2005 *Redbook*.

## 2.19 Market Drivers

Key opioid market drivers are as follows:

- Increase in number of chronic pain patients continues to drive prescription volume (151MM TRX's, +7% vs '03)
- Market value continues to grow (\$5.8B, +15%) despite introduction of generics (2 largest brands went generic, ie, Oxycontin® and Duragesic®)

- Promotion continues to decline because of branded product patent expirations
- Price erosion is anticipated to accelerate as additional generics enter the market
- MCOs continue to limit access to opioids via prior authorizations and step-edits
- Pain specialists drive opioid prescriptions
  - Fear of abuse, addiction, and diversion persists among prescribing community
- Chronic pain treatment guidelines regarding BTP continue to evolve

## 2.2 Competitor Assessment

### 2.21 Long-Acting Opioids (LAOs)

LAOs are most commonly prescribed to treat the persistent pain component of chronic cancer and noncancer pain in patients who are considered opioid tolerant. LAOs are not considered a direct competitor in the BTP market. However, LAOs have been promoted to be used to reduce/prevent the occurrence of BTP by increasing the dosage amount or frequency of the dose. Although not congruent with the opinions of most key opinion leaders, many community-based physicians currently adhere to this philosophy.

In 2004, the leading LAO in terms of TRx's was OxyContin (42% of total LAO TRx's). However, in 2004 OxyContin TRx's decreased by 8% compared to 2003. This is most likely because the 80-mg dosage strength (highest dollar volume strength) is currently available in generic form. In June 2005, Purdue Pharma LP lost an appellate court decision to Endo Pharmaceuticals on the patent protection of the 10-, 20-, and 40-mg strengths, which will expose OxyContin to an accelerated erosion rate because of the generic availability of these dosage strengths.

The number 2 product in terms of TRx's is Duragesic. Duragesic achieved a 12% increase in TRx's for 2004 (6.0MM Trx) vs 2003 (5.5MM TRx).

	TRx 2003	TRx 2004	Share of Total Class 2004	TRx Δ 2003/2004
<b>Selected Market: LAOs</b>	15,859,781	17,003,257		7%
<b>Oxycodone products</b>	7,722,662	7,440,181		-4%
OXYCONTIN	7,722,662	7,120,820	42%	-8%
OXYCODONE HCl ER	0	319,361	2%	NA
<b>Morphine products</b>	1,052,850	1,314,343		25%
GENERIC LA MORPHINE (3 products)	1,664,866	2,200,517	13%	32%
KADIAN A.L 96/08	321,893	414,672	2%	29%
MS-CONTIN	384,374	167,279	1%	-56%
AVINZA	212,606	660,756	4%	211%
ORAMORPH SR	133,977	71,636	0%	-47%
<b>Fentanyl product</b>	5,419,403	6,048,216		12%
DURAGESIC	5,419,403	6,048,216	36%	12%
<b>Hydromorphone product</b>	0	0		
PALLADONE (launched 1/2005)	0	0	0%	NA

Green = compound class    Blue = generic    Yellow = branded  
Source: IMS Health, December 2004.



## 2.22 Combination SAOs

Combination SAOs are the most frequently prescribed opioids (127MM TRx's in 2004) as they are typically first-line therapy for moderate pain (vs severe pain). Examples of combination SAOs include Percocet, Vicodin, and Lortab. As evidenced in primary and secondary market research, opioid combination products are often prescribed for the treatment of BTP but are less than ideal for the following reasons:

- Limited dosing flexibility because of low opioid dosage options (for use in mild-to-moderate pain only)
- Dose ceiling effect because of presence of APAP, ASA, and NSAIDs causing intolerable side effects
- Onset of meaningful analgesia 30-60 minutes

Physicians use this subclass of opioids to treat BTP, acute pain, chronic pain, and episodic pain as a result of their ease of use and familiarity. These drugs do not require a complicated approval process (eg, triplicate prescriptions required in some states, CIII allow for phone-in prescriptions and refills) and have greater availability at pharmacies.

In 2004 the leading combination SAO in terms of total prescriptions was generic hydrocodone + APAP (77% of total combination SAO TRx's). The next most commonly dispensed combination SAO was generic oxycodone + APAP with a 10% share of total class prescriptions. The branded combination SAOs accounted for only 10% of the dispensed prescriptions. The leading branded product was Endocet, with a 5% share of the class total prescriptions.

	TRX's 2003	TRX's 2004	Share of Tot Class	TRX Δ 2003/04
<b>Select Market: Combination SAO</b>	<b>118,794,132</b>	<b>126,958,005</b>		<b>7%</b>
<b>Hydrocodone + APAP products:</b>	<b>94,445,767</b>	<b>100,606,442</b>		<b>7%</b>
Hydrocodone + APAP generics	91,130,228	97,918,530	77%	7%
Vicodin	1,766,306	1,399,690	1%	-21%
Lorcet/Lortab	1,549,233	1,288,222	1%	-17%
<b>Hydrocodone + ASA products:</b>	<b>519</b>	<b>21</b>		<b>-96%</b>
DAMASON-P	519	21	0%	-96%
Hydrocodone + ibuprofen products	2,545,713	2,419,386		-5%
Hydrocodone + ibuprofen generics	1,313,001	2,217,641	2%	69%
VICOPROFEN	1,232,712	201,745	0%	-84%
<b>Oxycodone + APAP products:</b>	<b>21,402,587</b>	<b>23,591,375</b>		<b>10%</b>
Oxycodone + APAP generics	10,003,973	13,181,863	10%	32%
ENDOCET	5,336,929	6,708,519	5%	26%
PERCOCET	2,793,156	1,199,819	1%	-57%
ROXICET	3,182,055	2,439,952	2%	-23%
TYLOX	86,474	61,222	0%	-29%
<b>Oxycodone + ASA products:</b>	<b>399,546</b>	<b>340,781</b>		<b>-15%</b>
Oxycodone + ASA generics	56,740	93,244	0%	64%
ENDODAN	270,053	200,173	0%	-26%
PERCODAN	72,183	47,117	0%	-35%
ROXIPRIN	570	247	0%	-57%

Green = compound class      Blue = generic      Yellow = branded

Source: IMS Health, December 2004.

## 2.23 Pure Short-Acting Opioids

### 2.231 ACTIQ®

In 2004, ACTIQ sales totaled \$365.9 million. The patent for ACTIQ is expected to expire on September 5, 2006, unless it receives a pediatric exclusivity 5-month extension to February 3, 2007 (1 month removed because of FTC consent decree). At this time at least 1 generic version of OTFC (Barr) is expected upon patent expiration.

A sugar-free formulation of ACTIQ is expected to launch Q1 2006.

Key product messages:

- **Efficacy:** Within 15 minutes of starting medication, patients using ACTIQ rated their pain relief at 67% compared to 3% with their regular rescue medication
- **Safety:** No pharmacologically active metabolites
- **Side Effects:** The most common side effects observed were somnolence, nausea, vomiting, and dizziness
- **Dosing and Titration:** To achieve maximum relief, patients should finish the ACTIQ unit completely in 15 minutes
- **Convenience/Ease of Use:** Patients can use ACTIQ anywhere without water as soon as they begin to feel breakthrough cancer pain
- **Delivery System:** The unique OT delivery system, allows fentanyl to rapidly dissolve into the highly permeable and well-vascularized oral mucosa
- **MOA of Fentanyl:** High lipophilicity of oral transmucosal fentanyl allows for rapid absorption across the oral mucosa into the blood and distribution into the CNS – a process with a 3- to 5-minute half-life

Vulnerable Aspects:

- Label indication limited to BTP in cancer patients
- Delivery system: The delivery system is perceived as indiscreet – because of the "stick" or "lollipop" design there is a high level of concern regarding its attractiveness to children; also bioavailability is dependent on user consumption technique
- Initial dose titration scheme – complicated scheme to titrate to effective dose
- Loss of patent exclusivity/competition from generics – September 2006
- Cost – expensive compared to alternative products
- Reimbursement status – because of cost and fear of abuse and diversion, TPPs place hurdles to prescribing and reimbursement

### 2.232 Pure SAO: Oxycodone-Based Products

Oxycodone Products	Manufacturer
Oxycodone HCl (8 generics)	Various
OXYIR	Purdue
OXYFAST	Purdue
ROXICODONE	AAI Pharma
OXYDOSE	KV Pharmaceuticals

Indication: For moderate-to-severe pain (none indicated for BTP)

Formulations: Oral solution and tablets

Dosing: Every 6 hours as needed  
Onset of action: 30-60 minutes

Commercial aspects:

- Molecule: Branded generics and generics
- Only OXIR has had any audited promotional effort (Purdue)

## 2.233 Pure Morphine-Based Products

Morphine products	Manufacturer
Morphine Sulf (9 generics)	Various
MSIR	Purdue
Roxanol	AAI Pharma

Green = compound class Blue = generic Yellow = branded

Indication: For moderate-to-severe pain (none indicated for BTP)  
Formulation: Oral solution and tablets  
Dosing: Every 6 hours as needed  
Onset of action: 30-60 minutes

Commercial aspects:

- Branded generics and generics
- Active metabolites M-6G and M-3G increase side effect profile

## 2.234 Pure Hydromorphone-Based Products

Hydromorphone products	Manufacturer
Hydromorphone HCl (15 generics)	Various
Dilaudid	Abbott

Green = compound class Blue = generic Yellow = branded

Indication: For moderate-to-severe pain (none indicated for BTP)  
Formulation: Oral tablets  
Dosing: The usual oral dose is 2 mg every 4 to 6 hours as necessary. More severe pain may require 4 mg or more every 4 to 6 hours.  
Onset of action: 30-60 minutes

Commercial aspects:

- Branded generics and generics
- Commonly used in severe pain patients (ie, sickle cell crisis)

## 2.24 Pricing Analysis

The cost per dose for a pure SAO ranges from \$0.21 to \$1.33. The notable exception in this class is ACTIQ – on a per-dose basis ACTIQ is the most expensive SAO (range \$7.37 to \$21.23 per unit).

<b>ACTIQ®</b>	200 mcg	30	\$221	\$7.37
Cephalon	400 mcg	30	\$280	\$9.33
(not inclusive of 2005 price increase)	600 mcg	30	\$343	\$11.43
	800 mcg	30	\$406	\$13.53
	1200 mcg	30	\$529	\$17.63
	1600 mcg	30	\$652	\$21.73
<b>OxyIR</b>	5 mg	100	\$31.45	\$0.31
Purdue				
<b>OxyFast</b>	20 mg/mL	30	\$37.00	\$1.23
Purdue				
<b>Oxycodone tablets</b>	5 mg	100	\$15.90	\$0.15
Mallinkrodt	15 mg	100	\$44.63	\$0.45
	30 mg	100	\$91.00	\$0.91
<b>Roxicodone</b>	5 mg	100	\$26.49	\$0.27
AAI Pharma	15 mg	100	\$69.11	\$0.69
	30 mg	100	\$133.18	\$1.33
<b>Morphine tablets</b>				
Ranbaxy	10 mg	100	\$26.61	\$0.27
Ranbaxy	15 mg	100	\$33.77	\$0.34
Roxane	15 mg	100	\$13.58	\$0.14
<b>MSIR</b>	15 mg tab	100	\$18.08	\$0.18
Purdue	15 mg cap	100	\$30.98	\$0.31
	30 mg tab	100	\$30.55	\$0.31
	30 mg cap	100	\$57.81	\$0.58
<b>Hydromorphone tablets</b>	2 mg	100	\$13.95 - \$18.48	\$0.14 - \$0.19
Various generic MNFs	4 mg	100	\$20.95 - \$30.47	\$0.21 - \$0.31
<b>Dilaudid®</b>	2 mg	100	\$41.01	\$0.41
Abbott	4 mg	100	\$66.94	\$0.67
	8 mg	100	\$121.84	\$1.22

Source: First DataBank, Dec 2004.

**2.25 Competitive Sales Force Size/Structures:****Sales Force Structure****Pain Companies: Sales Force Structure  
4Q04**

COMPANY	SALES FORCE	# REPS	PROMOTED PAIN PRODUCTS
Purdue*	Pain Sales Force	550	Palladone, OxyContin, Senokot
Endo	Pain Specialty	70	Lidoderm, Percocet
	Community-Based Physicians	166	Lidoderm, Percocet
	Hospital	70	Depodur
J&J	Janssen Green	339	Duragesic, Ultracet
	Janssen Elder Care	283	Risperdal, Razadyne, Duragesic
	Janssen Hospital	106	Duragesic, Razadyne, Risperdal, Aciphex
	J&J Long-term Care	20	Risperdal, Levaquin, Duragesic
Organon/Ligand	Primary Care	550	Avinza, Remeron Soltab, Nuvaring, Cylcessa, Desogen, Mircette
	Hospital	95	Zemuron, Avinza, Nuvaring
	Specialty	180	Avinza, Remeron Soltab
Forest**	Forest Therapeutics (Mainly PCPs)		PCPs calls: Combunox in second or third position Pain Specialist/Orthopedic Surgeon (minority targets) calls: Combunox in first position
	Forest Ethicare (Mainly PCPs)		PCPs calls: Combunox in second or third position Pain Specialist/Orthopedic Surgeon (minority targets) calls: Combunox in first position
Watson	Urology	110	Oxytrol, Androderm, Reprexain
	Primary Care	160	Oxytrol, Androderm, Reprexain
	Managed Care	12	
Cephalon	Single Sales Force	430	Redaction - Other Teva Product ACTIQ
	Pain Care	100	ACTIQ and FEBT 4Q05

Source: Verispan 4Q 2004.

\* Purdue laid off ~70% of their sales force following the withdraw of Palladone.

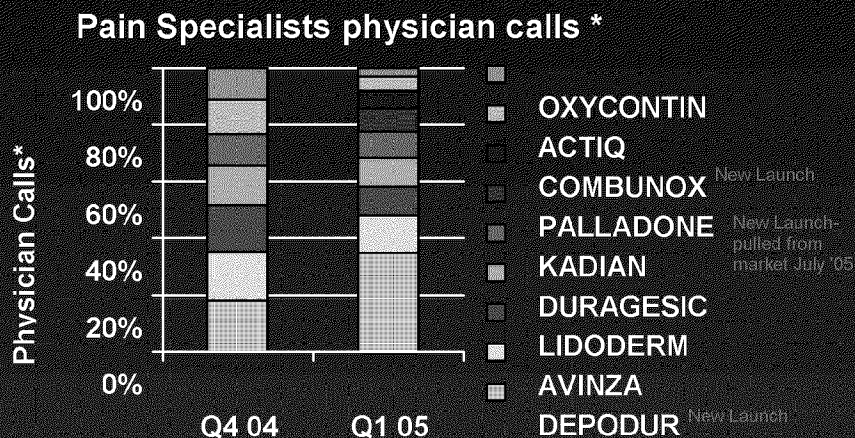
\*\* Forest information from Forest CEO Wall Street Conference.

**Pain Companies**

The major companies in the pain market currently marketing branded pain medications (ie, not devices, not generics) include Janssen (Duragesic), Organon/Ligand (Avinza), Forest (Combunox), Alpharma (Kadian), and Endo (Lidoderm and Depodur). These companies have primarily focused on the outpatient chronic pain market. Purdue Pharma is no longer a major player in the pain market as the OxyContin patent has expired and Palladone has been withdrawn from the market.



## ACTIQ Opioid SOV for Pain Specialists has Decreased From 12% in Q4 04 to 5% in Q1 05



Source: IMS IPS \* based on physician recall / perception

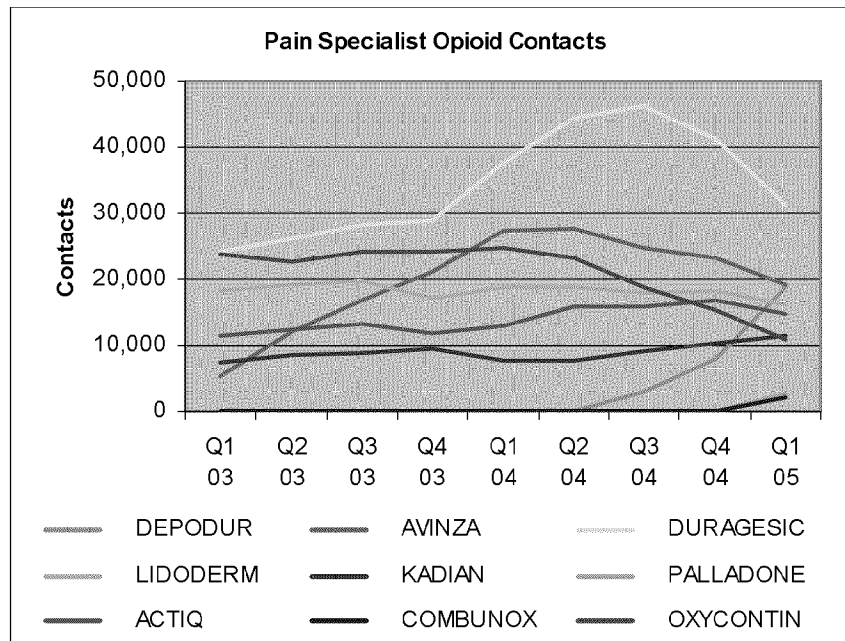
As seen in the graph above, physician contacts for older products facing generic competition are declining, while detailing on new products is gradually increasing. The decline in details based on generic competition as well as the withdraw of Palladone has created a window of opportunity for Cephalon; however, this window will be short-lived as additional products are expected to come to market. (*The FDA asked Purdue to withdraw the product from the market over safety concerns regarding its interaction with alcohol.*) Currently only Cephalon is conducting any significant level of promotional activity in the pure SAO market. With new pure SAOs on the horizon, maintaining a strong presence especially among pain specialists is imperative if Cephalon is to be perceived as a leader in the overall pain market.

- ACTIQ is the only pure SAO actively promoted pain product but the overall opioid market is changing rapidly
  - Decline in promotion of leading LAOs (Duragesic, OxyContin)
  - Avinza has greatly increased physician contacts over the last 2 years
  - Combunox will be an interesting product to watch considering promotional claims around rapid onset and duration of effect
- Endo has become the share-of-voice (SOV) market leader, producing the greatest number of physician contacts in Q1 '05
  - Lidoderm (indicated for neuropathic pain of postherpetic neuralgia) occupies the primary position for the sales force creating the lion share of attention and focus
- Additional recently launched Opioids
  - Combunox (Forest – Oxycodone/Ibuprofen)
  - Reprexain (Watson – Hydrocodone/Ibuprofen)
  - DepoDur (Endo – Liposome injection Morphine Sulfate XR)
- Purdue was in the process of refocusing their promotional efforts from OxyContin to the newly launched Palladone (controlled-release hydromorphone); however, this product

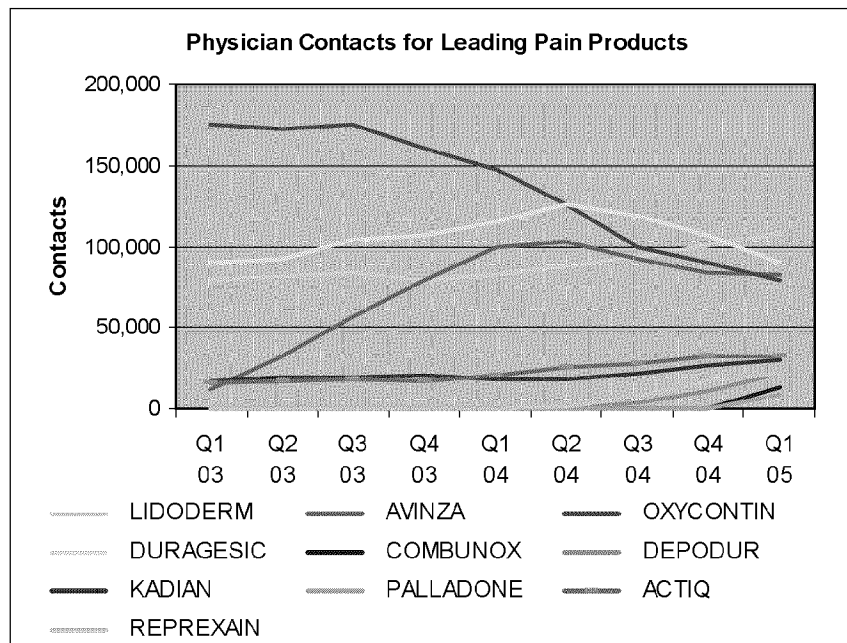


was recently withdrawn from the market. Subsequently Purdue has laid off the majority of their pain sales force.

Physician Contacts by Brand



Source: IMS Health, IPS.



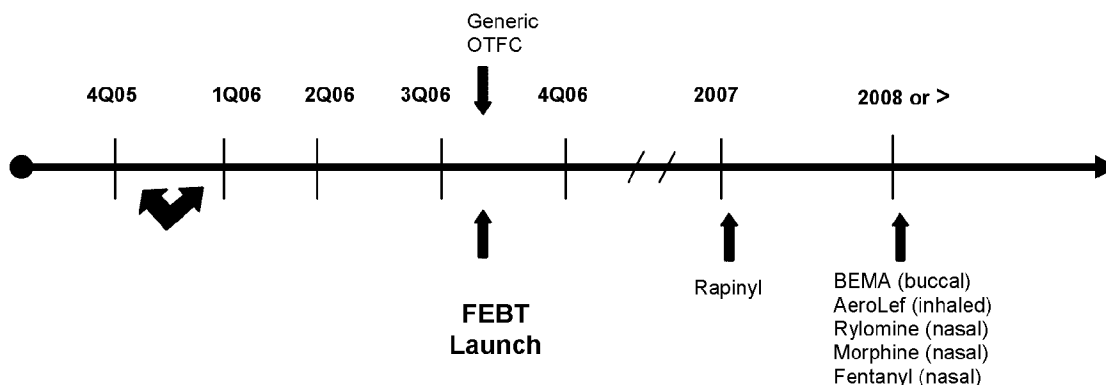
Source: IMS Health, IPS.

## 2.26 Future Competition

The most significant competitor for FEBT at launch will be Barr's generic OTFC. The next most significant competitor if/when approved will be Endo's Rapinyl.

In the moderate-to-severe pain market there are a number of products in development that may be competitors to FEBT. These products are displayed in the table below.

Drug Name / Dev. Co. Technology	Comments
<b>Oxymorphone IR / Endo</b> Immediate-release formulation of oxymorphone	Received approvable letter but at the request of the FDA is running a supplemental safety trial due to agency concerns of abuse related to the IR formulation. Product is expected to launch in 4Q '05 or 1Q '06. Endo is expected to launch IR & ER formulation as a package with ER for maintenance and IR as initial dose and for <u>occasional pain flares</u> .
<b>Generic OTFC / Barr</b>	Sugar-free formulation expected to launch upon FDA <b>approval</b> of FEBT. Of note, Barr has the right to purchase product from Cephalon so they could purchase sugar-free OTFC if Cephalon launches this formulation.
<b>Rapinyl / Endo</b> Sublingual fast-dissolving fentanyl wafer	Currently pursuing Phase III trials. Phase II trials were for breakthrough cancer pain (BTP). Medical Affairs from Endo reports that they will be pursuing an expanded nonmalignant BTP label after they launch the drug for <u>BTCP</u> . Endo mgt. has stated this product will be a direct "attack" on ACTIQ. Estimated launch 2007.
<b>BEMA Fentanyl/BDS</b> Biodegradable buccal wafer consisting of an adhesive layer and drug delivery layer	Currently seeking a partner for Phase III studies which are scheduled for 2H of 2005. Small drug-development company with limited resources. Phase II studies were completed with <u>BTP cancer patients</u> . Reported to dissolve in 20 minutes. Company presentation to investors projected price \$5-6 per dose
<b>AeroLEF/Delex</b> Inhaled aerosolized liposome-encapsulated formulation of fentanyl citrate	Phase II in Canada, developed to provide needle-free delivery by inhalation. Company is claiming a rapid onset of action comparable to intravenous (IV) administration and sustained analgesia (12 hrs). Pursuing indications in <u>Cancer and Post-operative pain</u> .
<b>Rylomine/Intrac, fka IDDS</b> Morphine formulation	Phase II, intranasal delivery system, stated treatment is being developed for acute pain.
<b>Morphine gluconate/Nastech</b>	Phase II, intranasal delivery system, breakthrough pain indication
<b>Fentanyl/West Pharma.als</b>	Phase II, nasal delivery system, cancer pain

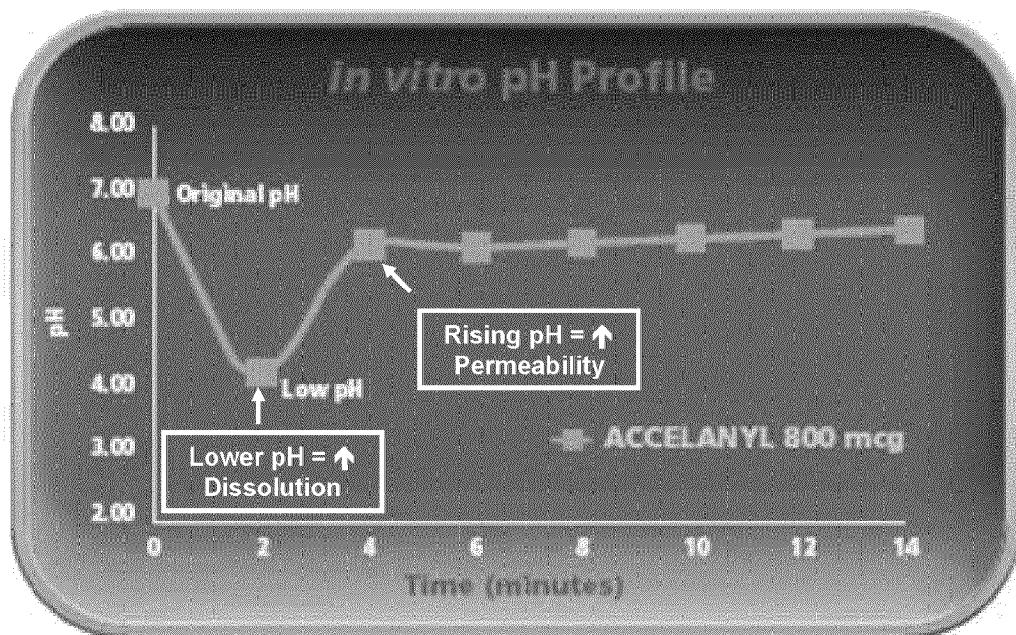
Estimated launch dates for potential BTP therapies

### 3 Product Overview – FEBT

#### 3.1 Product Description

FEBT is a potent, rapid-onset opioid analgesic, intended for buccal mucosal administration. FEBT is formulated as a flat-faced, round, beveled-edge tablet. FEBT should be placed and retained within the buccal cavity for a period sufficient to allow disintegration of the tablet and rapid absorption of fentanyl across the oral mucosa.

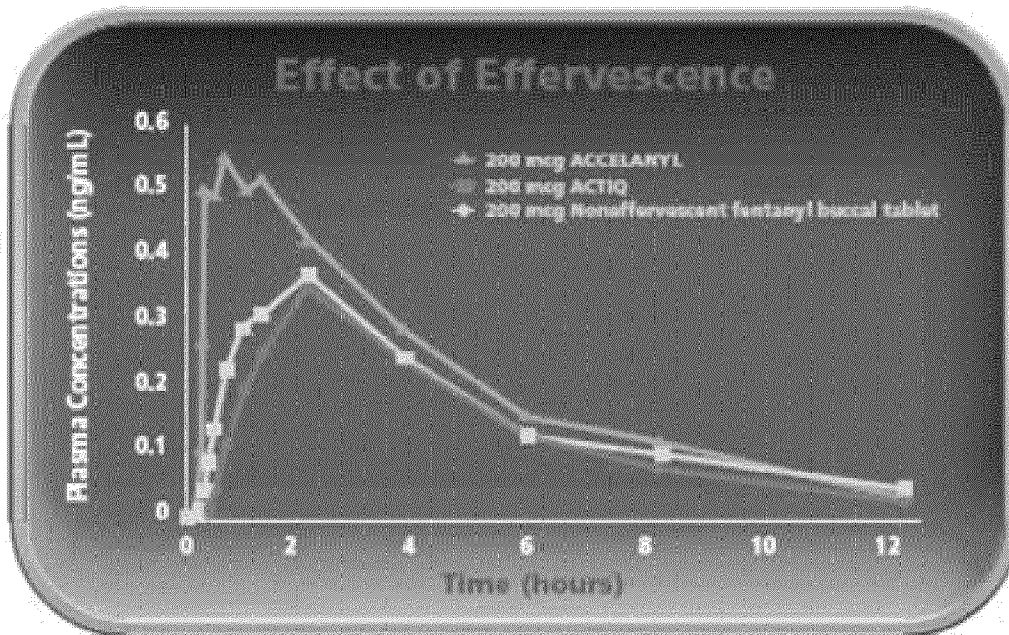
FEBT employs the OraVescent® drug-delivery technology, which utilizes an effervescent reaction to enhance the rate and extent of fentanyl absorbed through the buccal mucosa. It is believed that transient pH changes accompanying the effervescent reaction may optimize dissolution (at a lower pH) and membrane permeation (at a higher pH). Absorption may also be influenced by other changes thought to occur as a result of the effervescent reaction, including thinning of the epithelial layer and loosening of intracellular tight junctions.



The OraVescent method of delivery has distinct advantages over OTFC:

- Improved rate & extent of absorption, ie, higher & earlier systemic exposure
  - Greater absorption through oral mucosa (48% vs 22%)
  - Greater absolute bioavailability (65% vs 47%)
- More discreet & user-friendly drug delivery
- Simplified titration scheme
- Higher early systemic exposure





Pather SI, et al. *Drug Deliv Technol.* 2001;1.

Ultimately, FEBT is a more efficient delivery technology incorporating an effervescent reaction that improves the rate and extent of fentanyl absorption across the oral mucosa. The benefit to the patient is rapid onset analgesia.

### 3.2 Target Product Profile

This target product profile is based on the inclusion of data from the 2 pivotal efficacy BTP in cancer patient trials (099-14), the 2 safety trials (099-15 and 099-16), and 6 pharmacokinetic trials (099-11, 099-18, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029). As of this date it is assumed the NDA submission for BTP in cancer patients will not include the second BTP efficacy trial, 3039. Without the 3039 data the FEBT Target Product Profile efficacy section is the same as ACTIQ. A sNDA with the 3039 data is expected to be filed immediately after approval.

Target Product Profile
Indication
<b>At launch:</b> Management of breakthrough pain in patients with cancer who are already receiving and who are tolerant to opioid therapy for their underlying persistent cancer pain

<b>Formulation &amp; Delivery Platform:</b> Sugar-free & flavor-free orally dissolving tablets 100 mcg, 200 mcg, 400 mcg, 600 mcg, 800 mcg <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Passive drug delivery (simply place next to buccal mucosa – dissolves without actively moving the tablet around in the mouth)             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Nonirritating to buccal mucosa in majority of patients</li> <li>○ Predictable drug delivery (less chance for user error vs ACTIQ)</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Multiple strengths for efficient and convenient dosing titration</li> </ul>	
<b>Administration:</b> Place the tablet between the cheek and gum (dwell time 15 minutes)	
<b>Efficacy</b>	
FEBT vs placebo	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Statistically significant mean pain-intensity difference (PID) over time: 15, 30, 45, and 60 minutes</li> <li>• Statistically significant mean pain relief (PR) over time: 15, 30, 45, and 60 minutes</li> <li>• Statistically significant mean total pain relief (TOTPAR) over time: 15, 30, 45, and 60 minutes</li> <li>• Statistically significant mean summed pain intensity difference (SPID) over time: 15, 30, 45, and 60 minutes</li> <li>• Statistically significant pain relief for up to 60 minutes</li> <li>• Statistically significant portion of patients rate FEBT “good” on global assessment of drug performance scale at 30 and 60 minutes</li> </ul>
ACTIQ to FEBT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Clinical data to support safe switching dose recommendation from ACTIQ to FEBT</li> </ul>
<b>Pharmacokinetics</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <math>T_{max}</math> = 47 minutes</li> <li>• Dose proportionality for AUC, <math>C_{max}</math> for all strengths</li> <li>• Dose proportionality up to 600 mcg on <math>T_{max}</math></li> <li>• Efficient drug delivery: 65% absolute bioavailability as compared to ACTIQ (47%)</li> <li>• FEBT demonstrates higher early systemic exposure (<math>AUC_{0-tmax}</math> and <math>C_{max}</math>) as compared to ACTIQ</li> <li>• Greater portion of FEBT absorbed primarily via the buccal mucosa (48%) as compared to ACTIQ (22%)</li> </ul>	
<b>Safety &amp; Tolerability</b>	
<p>Adverse events are typical opioid side effects that generally cease or decrease with continued use of the drug.</p> <p>The most serious adverse event associated with opioids are respiratory depression, circulatory depression, hypotension, and shock.</p>	



How Supplied
Individual child-resistant blister packages
Perforated blister card consisting of 4 individually packaged tablets
Box containing 7 blisters cards (28 total tablets per box)
SOURCE DATA
<p>This profile is based on the inclusion of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PK trials: 099-11, 099-18, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029</li> <li>• Pivotal efficacy trials: 099-14</li> <li>• Safety trial: 099-15, 099-16</li> </ul>

### 3.3 Dosing

- All patients need to be opioid tolerant.
- All patients should start on 100 mcg with the exception of patients previously receiving ACTIQ:
  - Tablet should be placed in the buccal cavity (above a rear molar between the upper cheek and gum) until disintegrated
  - Usually takes ~14-25 minutes; if after 30 minutes remnants remain, they may be swallowed with a glass of water
  - Swallowing results in lower peak concentrations
  - Re-dosing within a single episode:
    - 30 minutes after start of previous tablet
    - Same dosing strength should be used
  - Increasing the dose:
    - From the initial dose, patients should be closely followed and the dosage strength changed until the patient reaches a dose that provides adequate analgesia with minimal side effects
    - Dosage strengths should not be skipped
    - Patients should record use over several episodes of BTP and discuss with physician to determine if a dosage adjustment is required
    - Multiple tablets may be used to produce mcg equivalents to available doses
- For patients switching from OTFC to FEBT, the starting dose should be initiated as shown below:

Current ACTIQ dose (µg) per BTP Episode	FEBT Initial Titration Dose (µg)
200	100
400	100
600	100
800	200
1200	400
1600	600

### 3.4 Strengths

At launch: FEBT tablets 100 mcg, 200 mcg, 400 mcg, 600 mcg, 800 mcg

Currently a 300-mcg tablet is in development. This strength is expected to be available postlaunch (sNDA submitted within first year of launch). In addition, a higher dosage strength (potentially 1200 mcg) is also being considered for development as a result of the lack of dose proportionality between 1600 mcg of ACTIQ and 800 mcg of FEBT.

### 3.5 Clinical Performance to Date

To date, 6 PK studies (099-11, 099-18, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029) have been completed. Data from these trials are presented in Appendix 3. Below are the available key results from these trials:

- $T_{max}$  = 47 minutes
- Dose proportionality for AUC,  $C_{max}$  for all strengths – up to 800 mcg
- Dose proportionality up to 600 mcg on  $T_{max}$
- Efficient drug delivery: 65% absolute bioavailability as compared to ACTIQ (47%)
- FEBT demonstrates higher early systemic exposure ( $AUC_{0-t_{max}}$  and  $C_{max}$ ) as compared to ACTIQ
- Greater portion of FEBT absorbed primarily via the buccal mucosa (48%) as compared to ACTIQ (22%)

The single efficacy trial (099-14) that will be included in the NDA is completed. In the 099-14 trial, FEBT demonstrated superiority versus placebo at all time points (15, 30, 45, and 60 minutes) for SPID, PID, PR, and TOTPAR. FEBT was superior to placebo in the Global Assessment of Drug Performance at 30 and 60 minutes. In this study when patients received a placebo tablet they were twice as likely to require rescue medication as when they received FEBT. See Appendix 3 for presentation of the 099-14 trial results.

Note: Again, the 3039 cancer BTP efficacy study yielding differentiating onset of action data will not be included in the NDA. However, it will be published prior to launch and submitted with the 3042 (back BTP) study immediately following launch.

For details on the development program see the attached FEBT Development Plan (Appendix 3)

### 3.6 Product Labeling Considerations

As the Phase III data become available the results will be interpreted and inserted into the proposed draft label. It is assumed that the FDA will require the FEBT label to contain similar elements to the ACTIQ label.

The following is a list of the minimum FEBT label requirements to be competitive in the BTP marketplace:

#### 1. Description

- Include information about the effervescent delivery platform —> all CO<sub>2</sub> effects
- Discuss ease of use and “passive” application of discreet tablet

#### 2. Clinical Pharmacology

- Need to include OTFC to FEBT switching data (conversion chart for safety)

**3. Pharmacokinetics: Bioavailability and Absorption**

- Venous vs arterial blood test issue
- Include relative bioavailability study
- $T_{max}$  and  $C_{max}$  data clearly illustrated
- Dose proportionality clear explanation
- Efficient delivery of fentanyl via OraVescent delivery technology
- Multiple-tablet dosing approximately equals single-tablet PK of same microgram (mcg) equivalent
- Comparison of  $T_{max}$  for FEBT and OTFC

**4. Pharmacodynamics: Distribution, Metabolism, and Elimination**

- Appropriate supporting data

**5. Clinical Trials**

- Describe the clinical trial
- Based on the pre-NDA meeting it is questionable how many secondary endpoints may be included in the label

**6. Indications and Usage*****Launch***

At launch the expected indication will be limited to BTP in cancer patients (similar to ACTIQ) as only the pivotal 99-14 efficacy data, 99-15 open-label safety data, and data from the 5 PK studies will be included in the initial NDA.

- FEBT is indicated for the management of BTP in patients with cancer who are already receiving and who are tolerant to opioid therapy for their underlying persistent pain. Patients considered opioid tolerant are those who are taking at least 60 mg oral morphine/day, at least 25 mcg transdermal fentanyl/hour, at least 30 mg of oxycodone daily, at least 8 mg oral hydromorphone daily, or an equianalgesic dose of another opioid for a week or longer
- Because life-threatening respiratory depression could occur at any dose in non-opioid-tolerant patients, FEBT is contraindicated in the management of acute or postoperative pain. Because FEBT has not been studied in non-opioid-tolerant patients, this product must not be used in non-opioid-tolerant patients
- Patients and their caregivers must be instructed that FEBT contains a medicine in an amount which can be fatal to a child. Patients and their caregivers must be instructed to keep all tablets out of the reach of children. (See Information for Patients and Their Caregivers for disposal instructions.)

***Postlaunch***

Immediately following approval, a label supplement containing data from the 3039 trial will be submitted to the FDA. It will be described in the *Clinical Trials* section. Efficacy charts depicting earlier onset data from this trial should replace any 099-14 efficacy charts. Timing for a label change review is typically 6 months. Failure to include this differentiation data at launch may adversely effect the immediate uptake of FEBT postlaunch.

Note: Rapid onset claims from the 3039 study will be included in promotional launch material pending preclearance. These data are anticipated to be published prior to launch and submitted as a label supplement immediately following launch.

Additional clinical trials are being conducted with the objective of expanding the label beyond BTP in cancer patients. Based on guidance from the FDA regarding the need to perform toxicology and carcinogenicity studies, it is anticipated that this label enhancement would occur no sooner than Q1 2009 postlaunch. Data from these trials are expected to be available at launch via publications and Medical Affairs Department inquiries.

Below is the optimal anticipated FEBT Package Insert "INDICATION AND USAGE" section based on the additional clinical trials in for BTP in chronic low back pain and neuropathic pain.

- FEBT is indicated for the management of BTP in patients with cancer who are already receiving and who are tolerant to opioid therapy for their underlying persistent pain. Patients considered opioid tolerant are those who are taking at least 60 mg oral morphine/day, at least 25 mcg transdermal fentanyl/hour, at least 30 mg of oxycodone daily, at least 8 mg oral hydromorphone daily, or an equianalgesic dose of another opioid for a week or longer.
- Because life-threatening respiratory depression could occur at any dose in non-opioid-tolerant patients, FEBT is contraindicated in the management of acute or postoperative pain. Because FEBT has not been studied in non-opioid-tolerant patients, this product must not be used in non-opioid-tolerant patients.
- FEBT is contraindicated in patients with known intolerance or hypersensitivity to any of its components or the drug fentanyl.

## 7. Adverse Events

- Separate table of AEs for ACTIQ conversion portion of the efficacy trial

## 8. Abuse and Potential Dependence

- Limited to "opioid class" language

## 9. Dosage and Administration

- No quantity-limit mention in this section (1 box of 28 tablets should be sufficient to initiate a patient and titrate to an effective dose)
- Include statement on approximate dose equivalency
- Allow for multiple tablet dosing

## 10. How Supplied

Individual child-resistant blister packages. The blister cards will most likely contain 4 tablets but this decision is not final. If the final decision is 4 tablet cards then the final packaging box will contain 7 blister cards (28 doses per box). All strengths will be packaged similarly.

### 3.7 Price

A pricing study will be initiated in 4Q '05. This study, along with research with TPPs planned for 3Q through 4Q '05, will provide input to develop the pricing strategy for FEBT.

### 3.8 FEBT vs. ACTIQ Points of Differentiation

FEBT	ACTIQ
Indication	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Launch indication in BTP in cancer patients</li> <li>Life cycle strategy to expand label to noncancer BTP</li> <li>Phase III trials in neuropathic pain (3041) and low back pain (3042) to be completed, published prior to product approval</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>BTP cancer-only indication limits promotional ability</li> <li>Cancer-only indication allows MCOs and Medicaid to more easily restrict reimbursement</li> <li>Minimal data to support use beyond BTP in CA</li> </ul>
Efficacy	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Onset of analgesia 15 minutes (099-14 trial)</li> <li>3039 trial is designed to measure pain relief as early as 5 minutes</li> <li>It also uses stopwatch to measure onset of meaningful pain relief</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Earliest time point measured was 15 minutes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>"Pain relief in 15 minutes, but may not experience full relief for up to 45 minutes"</li> </ul> </li> <li>ACTIQ median time for pain relief 4.2 minutes (Lichtor et al 1999), but not in label</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Duration of analgesia – being measured up to 60 minutes (3039 trial measure out to 120 minutes)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Only measured versus placebo up to 60 minutes</li> </ul>
Pharmacokinetics	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>More efficient delivery of fentanyl</li> <li>Increased bioavailability <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Less chance for user error versus ACTIQ (passive versus active consumption)</li> <li>PK data: 65% absolute bioavailability vs ACTIQ 47%</li> <li>Greater portion of FEBT absorbed by the mucosa (48%) as compared to ACTIQ (22%)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>50% bioavailability but must concede that "longer or shorter consumption times may reduce efficacy" <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Longer or shorter consumption times can be a result of "user error" and provide inconsistent delivery of fentanyl via the oral mucosa and thus efficacy</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Secondary Efficacy Data	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No improved patient function/QOL data</li> <li>HEOR data expected to be available for dissemination</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No improved patient function/QOL data</li> <li>None available promotionally <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One small retrospective study of cancer patients done at MD Anderson showed promising results</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No clinical trial data on patient preference – (FEBT) versus ACTIQ or other previous SAO medication</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>There is a MSIR vs ACTIQ study but Cephalon is unable to use it promotionally</li> </ul>
Dosing and Administration	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ease of dosing and titration <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Simpler &amp; more efficient titration scheme vs ACTIQ (less costly)</li> <li>Expect most patients to be able to titrate to "effective dose" using 1 box of 100-mcg tablets</li> <li>Expecting no quantity limit on titration prescription size</li> <li>Data showing multiple lower strength tablets <math>\approx</math> 1 higher strength</li> <li>Expect to have ACTIQ to FEBT dose conversion chart in label</li> <li>Potential inclusion of an equianalgesic chart in label or via a publication for safety support – prevent equal dose conversion</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Perceived cumbersome titration process <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Perceived weaknesses <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No equianalgesic dosing chart for ACTIQ exists</li> <li>Should prescribe 200 mcg as first Rx (despite same safety when randomized to start at 400 mcg in clinical trials)</li> <li>Should prescribe only 6 units in all titration Rx's until maintenance dose found <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Causes problems at pharmacy – don't want to break boxes</li> <li>Causes inconvenience – multiple office visits,</li> </ul> </li> </ul> </li> </ul> </li> </ul>

FEBT	ACTIQ
from OTFC to FEBT	Rx's and thus co-pays <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Should only titrate up 1 strength level at a time – should not “jump strengths”               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Limits flexibility and causes inconvenience for patient (multiple Rx's and co-pays) and prescriber (office visits)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Small tablet that is placed between upper gum and cheek – discreet administration</li> <li>More convenient formulation</li> <li>Ease of use</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ACTIQ is a much larger lozenge on a stick – more obtrusive and noticeable by others</li> <li>ACTIQ requires a lot of clinician and patient education about proper consumption technique</li> <li>It is an active, 15-minute process and forces the patient to “apply” the drug instead of simply “taking it” like a pill               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This process allows for user error (too much sucking and swallowing – not enough oral mucosal absorption) and thus less reliable results</li> </ul> </li> <li>“Longer or shorter consumption times may impact efficacy.”</li> </ul>
OTHER	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Less chance for accidental exposure to children               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Less possible to have “partially used units” left around like ACTIQ</li> <li>No handles to dispose of (with drug remaining on handle)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Handles with drug remaining on them may pose a risk of accidental ingestion by children</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Packaging allows physician to monitor patient usage by requesting patient save and bring the individual blister container to office for counting/monitoring purposes</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Physicians can monitor patient usage by doing stick counts</li> </ul>

### Attribute Summary

FEBT is expected to have clinical data to support rapid onset of analgesia (5-15 minutes) and duration of pain relief measured up to 60 minutes; however, the 3039 study with this differentiation data will only be submitted in an sNDA immediately following launch. In addition, it is anticipated that FEBT may provide more predictable bioavailability and greater dosing convenience compared to ACTIQ.

FEBT is expected to be at a disadvantage in regard to reimbursement vs pure and combination SAOs because of pricing. Until a pricing strategy is determined it is not clear how FEBT will compare to ACTIQ.

The table below is an initial attempt to summarize the projected FEBT performance vs currently marketed competitors. It will be critical to evaluate these areas in market research to better understand the core attributes of FEBT.



<b>Efficacy</b>	****	****	****	***
<b>Efficacy – Onset of Action</b>	***	***	**	**
<b>Efficacy – Duration of Effect</b>	***	***	****	****
<b>Tolerability</b>	***	***	***	***
<b>Convenience (formulation)</b>	***	*	****	****
<b>Safety – Perceived Abuse Potential/Diversion</b>	*	*	**	***
<b>PK/PD – Bioavailability (efficient delivery)</b>	****	**	***	***
<b>Price</b>	TBD	*	****	****
<b>Formulary Availability/Reimbursement</b>	N/A	*	****	****

Notes: 1) This table is a summary of the findings outlined within this document only. It is not informed by any clinical or market research other than what is contained within this document. 2) FEBT ratings based on predicted clinical profile.

Key: \* = disadvantage; \*\*\*\* = advantage

### 3.9 *FEBT SWOT Analysis*

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Onset of analgesia vs placebo &lt;15 minutes</li> <li>• Duration of analgesia measured up to 120 minutes</li> <li>• Discreet and convenient dosing formulation</li> <li>• Efficient drug delivery <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ 65% absolute bioavailability</li> <li>○ 48% via buccal mucosa</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Simplified titration scheme</li> <li>• Data &amp; conversion chart for ACTIQ to FEBT switch</li> <li>• Clinical program to expand label; data expected in neuropathic and low back pain</li> <li>• Patent on FEBT through 2019</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CII-abuse and diversion potential</li> <li>• Efficacy data in label does not differentiate FEBT from ACTIQ</li> <li>• Cost vs SAOs (branded and generic alternative therapeutic options)</li> <li>• Limited label (BTP in cancer patients) at launch</li> <li>• Perceived safety concerns of ROO</li> <li>• Misunderstanding of fentanyl potency and equianalgesic conversion (mg vs mcg)</li> <li>• Anticipated reimbursement restrictions</li> <li>• Cephalon not a lead player in pain market</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• KOL eagerness to evaluate and establish standards for treatment guidelines for BTP</li> <li>• Increased focus on pain management from JCAHO (fifth vital sign) and NIH (decade of pain control and research)</li> <li>• Though limited there is some increasing awareness and understanding of BTP</li> <li>• Concentrated ACTIQ prescriber base enables for focused targeting</li> <li>• Limited number of promoted products within the market segment</li> <li>• Aging population growth</li> <li>• Opportunity to develop HEOR data for BTP (burden of illness)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Limited understanding of BTP and its appropriate management</li> <li>• Fear of abuse and diversion with opioids</li> <li>• Increasing government restrictions on CII opioids</li> <li>• Pure SAO market 100% generic</li> <li>• Generic OTFC available prior to launch</li> <li>• Published data for ACTIQ vs IV morphine documenting median time for pain relief 5 minutes</li> <li>• Limited formal training in pain management in medical school/residency programs</li> <li>• Managed Care hurdles increasing to restrict high-cost drug use</li> <li>• No inclusion of FEBT in treatment guidelines</li> <li>• Emerging ROO pain formulations (eg, Rapinyl)</li> </ul>

## 4 FEBT Marketing – Strategic

### 4.1 Commercial Vision

The commercial vision is to establish FEBT as the optimal choice for BTP.

- **Short-term (Market Conditioning):** Build market anticipation for FEBT by clearly differentiating FEBT based on its unique delivery platform and combination of patient benefits, which include rapid onset of analgesia, predictability, and ease of use.
- **Middle-term (Year 1):** Establish FEBT as the optimal choice for BTP in cancer patients. The initial focus will be to convert ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT adopters, with the goal of switching ACTIQ patients and driving new patient starts with this existing prescribing base. This focused approach will then evolve to expand the market by adding new prescribers. In addition, appropriate educational and feedback mechanisms will focus on expanded use beyond BTP noncancer.
- **Long-term (Years 2 and beyond):** Solidify FEBT as the optimal choice for the treatment of BTP.

### 4.2 Positioning

The following is the FEBT positioning statement based on the 2005 positioning market research study and the anticipated FEBT product profile:

*FEBT is the first and only fentanyl buccal tablet, which utilizes an effervescent reaction to provide the most rapid onset of analgesia of any oral opioid resulting in improved patient functioning and activities of daily living.*

### 4.3 Preliminary Supporting Messages (in development)

Qualitative market research will be initiated in early 4Q05 to develop, design, and test potential messages and supporting claims. The quantitative market research phase will follow in 1Q06 to select the optimal messages platform. Below are potential messages based on the anticipated product profile:

*Rapid onset of pain relief for BTP*

- *Unique OraVescent® delivery technology enhances the rate and extent of absorption of fentanyl providing fast, convenient BTP relief in cancer patients*
- *15-minute onset of action addresses the unpredictable urgency of BTP*
- *Proven coverage of pain up to 60 minutes*
- *Simple to administer dosing formulation*
- *Passive administration; simply place tablet between cheek and gum and allow to dissolve*
- *Discreet dosing administration compared to ACTIQ*

*Flexible dose range provides step-up pain relief without concern*

- *Dose proportionality between dosage strengths (AUC)*

*Predictable drug delivery ensures appropriate use*

- *Simple passive OraVescent delivery ensures less administrative error*
- *48% of fentanyl directly absorbed through the oral mucosa*

- 65% absolute bioavailability

#### Safety

- Side effect profile similar to other SAOs
- Risk MAP available to aid in appropriate patient selection to minimize risk for abuse, addiction, and diversion
- Cephalon supports educational initiatives (ESP) to help minimize risk for abuse, addiction, and diversion of opioid medications

## 4.4 Key Issues

Key marketing issues Cephalon must effectively address include the following:

- **Absence of Time to Convert Prescribers (generic ACTIQ available prior to FEBT launch)**

The most significant marketing issue that Cephalon will face with FEBT is driven by the agreement with the FTC, allowing Barr Laboratories to market a generic OTFC upon FEBT final approval. The proven industry practice has been to drive product switches prior to the introduction of a generic alternative, optimally 12-18 months prior to loss of exclusivity. A successful conversion from the original product to a successor compound is largely dependent on the following variables:

- Adequate time to establish the successor brand prior to the availability of the generic version of the precursor brand
- Level of clear and meaningful differentiation between the precursor and the successor
- Total level of promotional resources/share of voice applied
- Dedicated, sophisticated and optimally sized sales force with the successor brand in the primary selling position
- Comprehensive managed care strategy to drive favorable reimbursement
- Extensive patient database that will enable DTP (Direct to Patient) correspondence

Unfortunately, Cephalon will not have the opportunity to address the most important variable in securing a successful switch – sufficient time to convert ACTIQ loyalists prior to generic availability. It is expected that Barr will launch a generic OTFC at least 30 days prior to the launch of FEBT. Retail pharmacies will update their systems for a generic OTFC alternative as soon as it becomes available. Most health plans have mandatory generic substitution policies and therefore it is predicted that the majority of ACTIQ prescriptions may be substituted. In addition, in an effort to control costs health plans may establish prior authorization and/or step edits to limit FEBT usage.

Furthermore, prescriptions for CII products may not be refilled. Patients must see their prescribing physician on a monthly basis to receive their next CII prescriptions. As a result of this, there is an opportunity to convert ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT before generic OTFC becomes firmly entrenched in the market.

Ultimately, the lack of switch time, the immediate generic availability, and the anticipated erosion rate make the time period prior to launch and immediately following the FEBT launch (30-90 days) critical to the success of the product. To support a successful conversion of ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT adopters, it will be necessary to focus on the remaining variables that drive successful switches. Prior to launch it will be imperative to secure sufficient resources and initiate appropriate market conditioning educational tactics. This will help clearly differentiate FEBT and facilitate brand

awareness/anticipation among ACTIQ loyalists. It will also be critical to establish a comprehensive managed markets strategy and identify the optimal size, structure, and timing for the implementation of a well-trained Pain Care sales force. Immediately postlaunch, within the first 30-90 days, it will be crucial to implement a focused Loyalists conversion strategy.

- **Limited Ability to Differentiate From ACTIQ at Launch**

At launch the FEBT label will be based on 1 pivotal clinical efficacy trial, the 99-14 trial. The primary end point of this trial was pain relief beginning at 15 minutes postdosing. This trial design is identical to the ACTIQ pivotal trials. Cephalon is conducting a second clinical efficacy trial in cancer patients with BTP. This trial (3039) is designed to differentiate FEBT from its competitors based on its speed of action. This study measures onset of pain relief as early 5 minutes and time to meaningful pain relief as measured by stopwatch. This trial will not be completed in time to be included in the initial FEBT NDA. It will be submitted as a label change immediately following approval.

Note: Rapid onset claims from the 3039 study will be included in promotional launch material pending preclearance. These data are anticipated to be published prior to launch and submitted as a label supplement immediately following launch.

- **Significant Resources Required to Effectively Prepare and Launch FEBT**

In order to effectively launch FEBT and convert ACTIQ loyalists, Cephalon will need to allocate significant budgetary and personnel resources for FEBT prelaunch and launch activities which include but are not limited to

- Market conditioning to establish a new, emerging class of opioids (ie, ROOs)
- Comprehensive managed care initiative
- Medical education around BTP awareness (assessment and treatment)
- Dedicated pain franchise personnel from supporting internal departments to ensure timely NDA approval, promotional materials availability, optimal label, and Risk MAP
- Clinical development opportunities for Phase IIIb & IV studies

In addition to securing sufficient resources, it will be critical to gain consensus of resource utilization among internal departments.

- **Anticipated Unfavorable Reimbursement Status**

Third Party Payers (TPPs) are expected to continue to drive business to generics when available and to place restrictions on premium-priced products. It is anticipated that FEBT will be premium priced. Status of TPP reimbursement of FEBT will have an impact on the success of the brand. Potential barriers utilized by TPPs to limit access may include the following; prior authorizations, usage/quantity limits, step/edit treatment requirements, and tiered co-pay structures. The development of a comprehensive managed-markets plan must be completed well in advance of the launch of FEBT to minimize these potential barriers and support access for appropriate patients. The core elements of a comprehensive managed care plan include

- Situation analysis
- Strategies to secure favorable reimbursement
  - Document the burden of illness
  - Develop value proposition for the product
  - Determine scenario pricing and contracting strategies
- Tactics

- **Limited Awareness and Understanding of Appropriate Diagnosis and Treatment of Breakthrough Pain (BTP)**

The majority of physicians believe that they are managing chronic pain adequately; however, based on market research and feedback from consultants/advisors, there appears to be a lack of understanding among many physicians about the characteristics (eg, rapid onset and relatively short duration of pain), appropriate diagnosis, assessment, and effective treatment of BTP. Many physicians fail to recognize BTP as a distinct component of chronic pain, separate from the persistent pain experienced by the majority of chronic cancer and non-cancer pain sufferers. A lack of treatment guidelines specific to BTP, minimal mention of BTP in cancer and noncancer chronic pain treatment guidelines, a lack of clinical data in the literature evidencing noncancer BTP, and limited education or formal training during medical school and residency may also be contributing factors. Ultimately, this lack of understanding of the characteristics and appropriate diagnosis of BTP among opioid-prescribing physicians negatively affects their choice of therapy. Most fail to realize the need for a rapid onset opioid, which may be the most appropriate choice for many patients suffering from BTP. It will be important to not only raise awareness of BTP (characteristics, assessment, and treatment) but also to clearly differentiate the advantages and risk profile of rapid-onset opioids (ROOs) from short-acting opioids (SAOs).

- **Limited KOL/Professional Society/Managed Care Relationships**

Cephalon is not currently viewed as a market leader in pain. Cephalon has limited relationships with KOLs, managed care decision makers, and leading pain societies compared to other market leaders. It will be important for Cephalon to be viewed as a company committed to the pain community.

- **Challenging Selling/Marketing Environment Requiring Sophistication and Expertise**

The pain market is very complex and constantly evolving. Because of the potential for abuse, addiction, and diversion, CII medications are subject to stringent DEA and state regulations that are complex for pharmacies and prescribers. These include recording requirements, use of triplicate prescriptions pads in some states, special storage, non-refillable prescriptions, and sampling limitations. For example, coupon sampling programs are prohibited in the state of New York.

Another complexity is that the undertreatment of pain continues to be a widespread problem. It has been postulated that 1 reason why pain is undertreated is physician fear of prescribing opioid analgesic medications (ie, opiophobia). This fear is mostly attributed to concerns of abuse, addiction, and diversion, as well as scrutiny by regulators that monitor the prescribing and dispensing of these medications. Despite mounting evidence demonstrating that effective analgesia improves quality of life, this fear persists. In general, physicians try to balance fear of opioid abuse (addiction and diversion) and regulatory scrutiny with the patients need for medications that provide safe and effective analgesia while improving daily functioning and restoring quality of life.

Finally, the FDA requires all newly approved schedule II opioid products to implement a comprehensive Risk Minimization Program that meets the standards set by the Guidance for Industry Development and Use of Risk Minimization Action Plans.

All of the aforementioned factors contribute to the difficulty and complexity of selling/marketing a CII medication. In addition, Cephalon will again be marketing an opioid in a novel delivery system. As with ACTIQ, Cephalon will face challenges inherent to establishing a new delivery platform in a class dominated by oral tablet formulations.



Therefore, it is imperative for Cephalon to establish the appropriate size, timing, and structure of a Pain Care Sales Force as well as pain-dedicated Medical Science Liaisons. Ideally, a Pain Care Sales Force in place by Q4 '05 would allow for the development of sufficient therapeutic expertise and adequate rapport with ACTIQ loyalists by FEBT launch (Q3 '06) to effectively execute the conversion strategy.

#### **4.5 Critical Success Factors**

In order for Cephalon to continue to be successful in the BTP market post-ACTIQ patent expiration it must successfully convert ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT adopters and gain additional business from those physicians and patients who had not previously adopted ACTIQ. There are 7 critical success factors that must be addressed in order for FEBT business objectives to be achieved.

##### **1. Successfully convert ACTIQ Loyalists to FEBT Adopters within the 90-day period**

In order for Cephalon to continue to be successful in the BTP market post-ACTIQ patent expiration it must successfully convert ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT adopters. Because Cephalon will not have time to convert ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT adopters prior to the availability of generic OTFC the focus will be to implement alternative, proven strategies to drive conversion within the crucial 30- to 90-day period postlaunch.

Prior to launch, appropriate market conditioning initiatives will be implemented to create the necessary awareness and anticipation for FEBT. Special care will be taken to ensure no preapproval promotion of FEBT occurs. Prelaunch initiatives will establish the OraVescent delivery technology and Cephalon as a leader in the pain market. Other initiatives will allow FEBT to be clearly differentiated from ACTIQ and other medications used to treat BTP. In addition, during the prelaunch phase, Cephalon will create and have ready for execution at launch, high-impact promotional tactics/tools that will support the rapid conversion of ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT adopters. A Pain Care Sales Force will be in place by Q4 '05 to provide the opportunity to develop relationships and rapport with key target physicians prior to launch.

Additionally, it will be critical that FEBT is available in pharmacies as soon as possible after final approval because of the availability of generic OTFC. Currently, although aggressive, it has been determined that FEBT can be available in pharmacies 21-30 days post-final FDA approval. At present, Chemistry & Manufacturing Control (CMC) is evaluating various options in order to minimize the time from approval to product availability in pharmacies (for example, manufacturing FEBT "at risk"). This is an area Cephalon must continue to examine in order to determine the earliest point FEBT will be available for appropriate patients.

At launch, Cephalon will begin driving conversion of ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT adopters by leveraging strong relationships and bridging from the solid market conditioning base it established pre-launch. Focused marketing and sales execution will encourage trial and usage of FEBT by ACTIQ loyalists.

##### **2. FEBT is clearly differentiated from ACTIQ and other BTP treatment options**

To be successful FEBT must be clearly differentiated from ACTIQ and other options for BTP treatment (eg, SAOs, and other ROOs to be launched in the future). The following product attributes will allow for FEBT to be clearly differentiated:

- Unique effervescent delivery system allowing for the rate and extent of fentanyl absorption to be accelerated
- Rapid onset of analgesia
- Ease of use, convenience
- Predictable pharmacokinetics and pharmacodynamics
- Discreet, unobtrusive administration (no handle)

### **3. Sufficient resources are secured and aligned among internal departments**

Sufficient resources must be secured across all functional departments (marketing, sales, RA, SciComm, MA, pubs, managed care, etc) to effectively execute pre- & postlaunch activities. It will be necessary to have adequate investment and resources to support the following:

- Clinical and Regulatory meet their milestones
- Implementation of marketing conditioning activities
  - Establish Cephalon as a market leader in pain
  - Establish awareness for OraVescent delivery technology
  - Increase awareness of BTP (characteristics, assessment, treatment, etc)
- Determination of the optimal size and structure of the sales force
  - Fully train and prepare a Pain Care Sales Force for launch
  - It is recommended that this sales force be in place by Q4 2005
- Negotiate optimal label which clearly differentiates FEBT (inclusion of 3039 study results)
- Negotiate optimal Risk MAP
  - Focus should be to minimize risk without compromising product growth in the appropriate patient population

### **4. Physicians and patients have access to FEBT**

Achieving favorable reimbursement status will be critical for the success of FEBT. Because of an expected premium price for FEBT it is anticipated that TPPs will seek to limit usage by placing hurdles and restrictions on prescribing. In order to obtain favorable reimbursement Cephalon must do the following:

- Demonstrate the burden of illness associated with nonoptimal treatment of BTP
- Demonstrate a value proposition of FEBT and its impact on the burden of illness of BTP
- Establish opioid category of ROOs and clearly differentiate it from oral SAOs
- Provide appropriate resources to prescribers to overcome TPP barriers
- Apply appropriate resources to TPPs to gain optimal access for FEBT

Additionally, it will be critical that FEBT is available in pharmacies as soon as possible after final approval because of the availability of generic OTFC. Currently, although aggressive, it has been determined that FEBT can be available in pharmacies 21-30 days post-final FDA approval. At present, Chemistry & Manufacturing Control (CMC) is evaluating various options in order to minimize the time from approval to product availability in pharmacies. (For example, manufacturing FEBT "at risk"). This is an area Cephalon must continue to examine in order to determine the earliest point FEBT will be available for appropriate patients.

**5. Continue to develop BTP market by increasing awareness and understanding of BTP and its optimal treatment**

Creating a high level of excitement and anticipation for FEBT will be essential to establishing FEBT in the market. The availability of generic OTFC at launch and the anticipated launch of Rapinyl® (Endo), another rapid onset fentanyl product in 2007, heightens the urgency to accelerate FEBT market penetration.

In order to create excitement and anticipation of FEBT, Cephalon must increase physician understanding of BTP and its optimal treatment. By doing so, the market will more readily recognize the differentiating benefits of FEBT.

**6. Key Opinion Leaders support FEBT as an effective treatment option for BTP**

KOL endorsement of FEBT will be critical to drive market anticipation for FEBT, stimulate product uptake at launch, and secure favorable reimbursement status. In addition, KOL/Pain Societies/Patient Advocacy Groups support will be crucial in efforts to secure a position for FEBT in BTP and chronic cancer and noncancer pain treatment guidelines.

**7. Minimize risk for abuse, addiction, and diversion**

Like other CII drugs, there will be a fear of abuse, addiction, and diversion associated with FEBT. It will be important to minimize these risks by educating physicians regarding appropriate patient selection and monitoring. In addition, patients will need to be educated about the appropriate and safe use of FEBT for BTP.

**Critical Success Factors/Strategies/Tactics**

CSF#1 – Successfully convert ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT within the first 90-day period		
Marketing Objective	Strategy	Tactics
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Achieve high level of prelaunch awareness – &gt;90% of ACTIQ 5-10</li> <li>Strengthen relationships with core ACTIQ prescribers by increasing call frequency among ACTIQ deciles 3-10 (baseline: 7.6 PDEs per decile 3-10 prescriber) (6 mths, 4/05-9/05)</li> <li>Convert ACTIQ deciles 3-10               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>50% prescribed 1 time in first 3 mths</li> <li>50% of FEBT new patients maintain monthly Rx over 6 mths</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p><b>Prelaunch:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Establish Cephalon as a committed partner and leader in the pain management community</li> <li>Actively engage managed care and differentiate FEBT by providing a unique and attractive value proposition</li> <li>Develop a strategic publications plan</li> <li>Develop adequate, timely disease and product education awareness via appropriate vehicles</li> <li>Deploy Pain Care sales force by 4Q '05</li> <li>Deploy MSLs 1Q '06</li> <li>Disseminate key FEBT clinical and scientific information</li> <li>Establish physician loyalty initiatives to convert ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT adopters</li> <li>Establish patient loyalty initiatives to convert ACTIQ patients</li> <li>Build internal interdepartmental momentum</li> </ul> <p><b>Launch:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Establish a highly targeted launch plan to convert ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT adopters within the first 30- to 90-day period</li> </ul>	<p><b>Prelaunch 2005:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conduct advisory boards to gain feedback on clinical and communication plan               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>PMEAB September 2005</li> <li>Consultants meetings 3Q-4Q '05</li> <li>Managed Care Advisory Boards 3Q &amp; 4Q '05</li> </ul> </li> <li>Conduct medical educational</li> <li>Implement the Public Relations plan</li> <li>Train the Pain Care sales force</li> <li>Patient database development: Capture opt-in patient names to enable direct to patient communication               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Web site: revise to include program to gather patient information and opt-in patients</li> </ul> </li> <li>ACTIQ 800#: Revise the 800# to include patient opt-in for future communication</li> <li>ACTIQ Coupon Book: revise to include opt-in for patients</li> </ul> <p><b>Prelaunch 2006:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Continue opt-in initiatives initiated in 2005</li> <li>Launch the Pain Franchise campaign (see Tactical Overview section)</li> <li>Conduct medical educational market conditioning programs</li> <li>Scientific information booth at key pain associations meetings</li> <li>Implement the Public Relations plan</li> <li>Inform Managed Care of pending FEBT approval: conduct clinical discussions, create cost model, create the Dossier for the formulary review process</li> <li>Implement clinical experience program by Q3 '06</li> <li>Prepare the Pain Care sales force for FEBT launch</li> <li>Develop focused call plan to ensure sufficient reach and desired frequency</li> </ul>

CSF#1 – Successfully convert ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT within the first 90-day period		
Marketing Objective	Strategy	Tactics
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Coordinate MSL activities (KOL, MCO, Ad Boards, etc)</li> <li>• Publish the key clinical trials</li> <li>• Prepare the launch campaign materials</li> <li>• Alert wholesalers/pharmacies of pending launch via sell sheets and electronic communications</li> <li>• Conduct Consultant Meetings and MCO Ad Boards to gain feedback on refined clinical and communication plans</li> <li>• Develop Speaker Slide Kit and Speaker Training Program</li> <li>• Publish the noncancer clinical trials</li> </ul> <p><b>Launch:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Execute the distribution plan</li> <li>• Implement Publication Relations plan</li> <li>• Conduct the launch meeting</li> <li>• Disseminate the sales materials to the sales force</li> <li>• Execute the call plan strategy</li> <li>• Communicate to patients in the opt-in database</li> <li>• Coupon Program</li> <li>• Conduct Consultant Meetings and Ad Boards to gain feedback and to refine clinical and communication plans</li> </ul>

CSF#2 – FEBT is clearly differentiated from ACTIQ and other BTP treatment options		
Marketing Objective	Strategy	Tactics
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Key clinical data are published prior to launch</li> <li>Label supplement with 3039 data submitted to FDA immediately upon approval</li> <li>Pain franchise campaign launched by 1Q '06</li> <li>OV delivery technology campaign launch by 2Q '06</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Differentiate FEBT from other treatment options, including ACTIQ, SAOs, and ROOs in development</li> <li>Establish presence of OraVescent® delivery technology in pain market</li> <li>Demonstrate a value proposition for FEBT by establishing and differentiating a new opioid class of ROOs from SAOs</li> <li>Develop a strategic publications plan</li> <li>Develop adequate, timely product education awareness via appropriate vehicles</li> <li>Create ACTIQ prescriber and patient awareness of the pending approval of fentanyl in the OraVescent delivery technology</li> <li>Negotiate optimal label which clearly differentiates FEBT</li> <li>Establish physician loyalty initiatives to convert ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT adopters</li> <li>Establish patient loyalty initiatives to convert ACTIQ patients</li> </ul>	<p><b><u>Prelaunch 2005</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Implement medical education programs</li> <li>Conduct advisory boards: physicians and managed care</li> <li>Implement patient loyalty program</li> <li>Develop Pain Franchise campaign; initial focus on corporate commitment to pain market transitioning into OraVescent science and technology</li> <li>Create sales force and MSL communication materials to internally educate on the pain franchise and OraVescent delivery technology campaign</li> <li>Create animated video describing the OraVescent technology; include animation in collateral materials (brochure, premium item, slide kit, direct mail)</li> <li>FEBT development: brand identity, concepts, messages</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Prelaunch 2006:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Execute the Pain Franchise campaign-journal ad</li> <li>Medical Affairs technology booth at medical meetings, direct mail postcards</li> <li>Provide sales force &amp; MSLs with information regarding pain franchise &amp; OraVescent delivery technology campaign</li> <li>Disseminate the OraVescent animation collateral materials</li> <li>3039 trial data are published by 2Q '06</li> <li>PK manuscripts published by 3Q '06</li> <li>Creation of launch campaign materials</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Launch:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>BTP in noncancer trials published by 4Q '06</li> <li>Execute launch campaign materials</li> <li>3039 trial data included in sNDA to be submitted immediately postlaunch</li> </ul>



CSF#3 – Sufficient resources are secured and aligned across internal departments		
Marketing Objective	Strategy	Tactics
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Clinical and Regulatory meet their milestones for NDA submission by September 2, 2005</li> <li>Critical studies published prior to launch</li> <li>FEBT launch materials are approved and ready at launch</li> <li>Sales force in place and prepared for launch</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Establish consensus among departments for optimal preparedness for FEBT launch</li> <li>Ensure timely submissions (NDA &amp; clinical pubs), Risk MAP development, promotional materials development, prelaunch marketing conditioning, and the sales force preparedness, etc</li> </ul>	<p><b>Ongoing now through launch</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conduct planning session meetings with appropriate staff to gain consensus and ensure alignment of resources</li> <li>Create core FEBT interdepartmental teams:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>PRC Team</li> <li>Risk MAP</li> <li>Labeling Committee</li> <li>FEBT Planning Team</li> <li>ISCP Team</li> <li>Launch Team</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

CSF#4 – Physicians and patients have access to FEBT		
Marketing Objective	Strategy	Tactics
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>By launch x% of TPPs are aware of FEBT (TBD with Bill Cunningham)</li> <li>FEBT is placed on x% of commercial and noncommercial formularies within the first X months postapproval (TBD with Bill Cunningham)</li> <li>FEBT is stocked by wholesalers by launch</li> <li>Detail all identified FEBT stocking pharmacies within 6-month launch period</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Establish a comprehensive and coordinated managed markets plan</li> <li>Develop a strategic publications plan</li> <li>Demonstrate a value proposition for FEBT</li> <li>Establish a new opioid class of rapid acting opioids (ROOs) and differentiate from SAOs</li> <li>Develop a distribution plan to ensure FEBT is stocked at launch</li> <li>Negotiate optimal Risk MAP: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Focus should be to minimize risk without compromising product growth in the appropriate patient population</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p><b><u>Prelaunch 2005</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Execute the Managed Markets plan initiatives (see Mgd Mkts Plan in Appendix 2)</li> <li>Execute the tactical plan to support the adoption of a ROO class by USP, First DataBank</li> <li>Initiate HEOR plan activities</li> <li>Support dissemination of TJU guidelines</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Prelaunch 2006:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Execute the Managed Care Plan initiatives: inform managed care of pending approval, develop cost model, complete AMCP Dossier, develop slide kit, visual aids, etc</li> <li>Continue execution of the HEOR initiatives</li> <li>Execute the FEBT distribution plan initiatives</li> <li>Actively engage managed care and differentiate FEBT by providing a unique and attractive value proposition via pain-dedicated trained speakers, MSLs, Marketing, and Managed Markets staff</li> <li>Implement the tactic plan to support the establishment of the ROO class in USP and First DataBank</li> <li>Trade Relations coordinates the implementation of a distribution plan to ensure FEBT is stocked at launch</li> </ul>

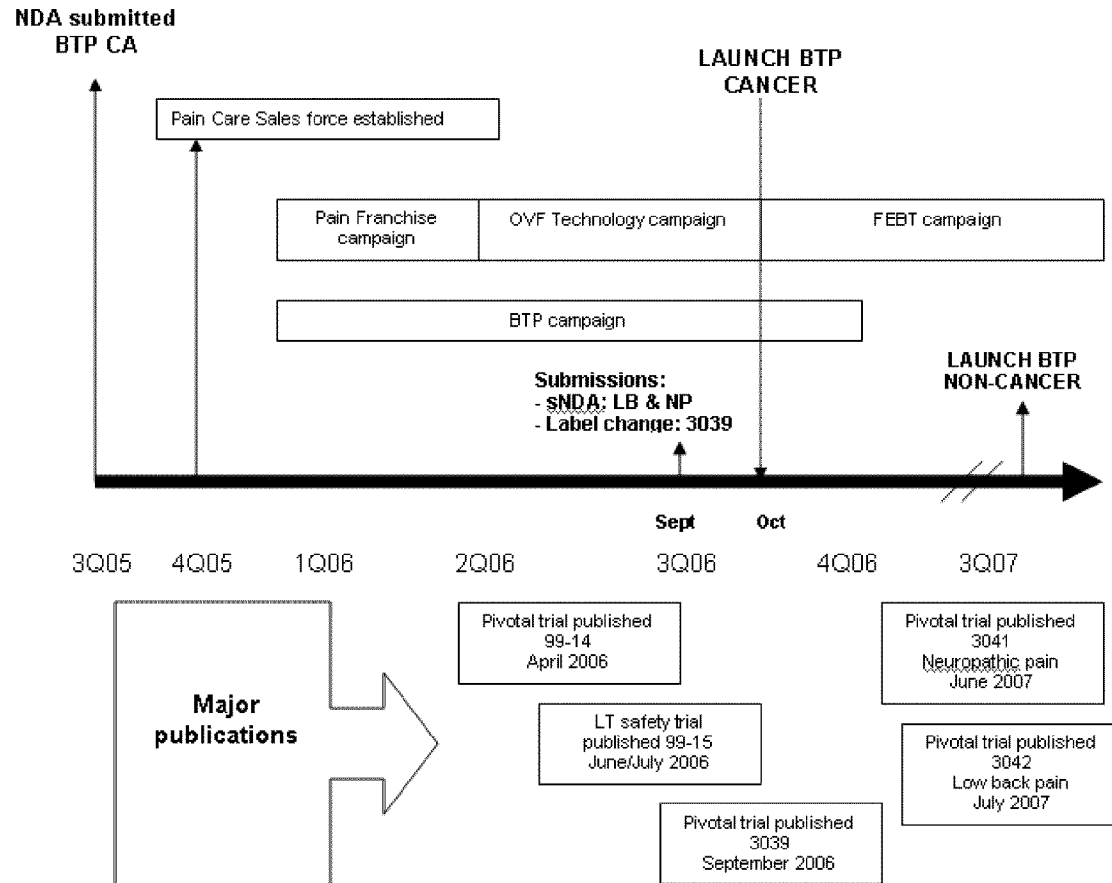
CSF#5 – Continue to develop BTP market by increasing awareness and understanding of BTP and its optimal treatment		
Marketing Objective	Strategy	Tactics
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Grow the ACTIQ/BTP TRx market (achieve ACTIQ TRx 2005/2006 objectives)</li> <li>• Achieve &gt;50% awareness of ROO term by ACTIQ deciles 3-10</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Expand the BTP market by increasing physician and patient awareness of BTP – definition, characteristics, prevalence, appropriate diagnosis, assessment, and optimal treatment</li> <li>• Establish BTP as a clinical entity in chronic pain in need of treatment               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◦ Demonstrate the burden of illness of BTP</li> <li>◦ Demonstrate the suboptimal nature of current therapeutic options</li> <li>◦ Establish and differentiate a new opioid class of ROOs from SAOs for the treatment of BTP</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p><b><u>Prelaunch 2005</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Conduct retrospective studies (see HEOR Plan in Appendix 7) demonstrating the burden of BTP and the sub-optimal nature of current pharmacological options</li> <li>• Establish ROO term awareness               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◦ Meet with KOLs and conduct medical education initiatives to establish ROO term awareness</li> <li>◦ Incorporate ROO term in label and publications</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Develop BTP awareness campaign materials – journal ad, slim-jim brochure, pain assessment tear sheets, direct mail campaign, BTP animation</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Prelaunch 2006:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Implement BTP campaign including 1-page BTP journal ad and booth presence</li> <li>• Direct mail campaign on BTP awareness and optimal treatment</li> <li>• Conduct a prospective clinical trial to create the value proposition of FEBT</li> <li>• Support dissemination of key BTP clinical information through medical education and publications</li> <li>• Provide sales force with the resources to strengthen relationships with core prescribers</li> <li>• Develop new chronic pain assessment tool with BTP component</li> </ul>

CSF#6 - Key Opinion Leaders support FEBT as an effective treatment option for BTP		
Marketing Objective	Strategy	Tactics
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Obtain PMEAB and KOL endorsements of FEBT as valuable treatment option for BTP</li> <li>KOLs recognize need to develop new chronic pain assessment tool with BTP component</li> <li>KOLs recognize need to differentiate ROO from SAOs</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Enhance, expand, and leverage KOL relationships</li> <li>Develop a KOL Strategic Plan</li> <li>Deploy pain-dedicated MSLs by 1Q '06</li> </ul>	<p><b><u>Ongoing now through launch</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conduct the PMEAB meeting September 2005</li> <li>Involve PMEAB members in FEBT trials, publication of clinical data, and medical education initiatives</li> <li>Involve KOLs in consultant/advisory meetings, FEBT clinical development, publications, validating BTP assessment &amp; treatment guidelines, home office visits, medical education programs, etc</li> <li>Establish Scientific information booth at key pain association meetings</li> <li>Implement the PR Plan</li> </ul>

CSF#7 - Minimize risk for abuse, addiction, and diversion		
Marketing Objective	Strategy	Tactics
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Achieve high awareness of FEBT RiskMAP objectives &amp; resources within 6 mths postlaunch (&gt;90% of deciles 3-10)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Develop and implement a comprehensive Risk Minimization Program which meets FDA requirements as set by the standards in the recently issued FDA guidance document for developing Risk MAPs</li> <li>Negotiate optimal Risk MAP to meet standards and minimum risk without compromising appropriate use and opportunity</li> <li>Educate HCPs on appropriate patient selection (opioid-tolerant patients)</li> <li>Educate patients about safe use of FEBT and allay fears of opioids</li> <li>Support appropriate educational opportunities related to risk minimization</li> </ul>	<p><u>Ongoing now through launch</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Issue grants to support educational efforts related to risk minimization (ESP)</li> <li>Conduct physician and patient educational programs on risk minimization</li> </ul> <p><u>Launch</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Implement Risk MAP initiatives</li> </ul>

## 5 FEBT Marketing - Tactical Overview

### *Time Line of Key Activities/Milestones*



### 5.1 Summary of Tasks

Condition the market (2005 through 2006):

- Enhance the Cephalon image as a partner committed to the pain community
- Enhance and expand relationships with KOLs
- Increase awareness and understanding of BTP and optimal treatment
- Demonstrate the burden of illness of BTP
- Establish and differentiate a new opioid class of Rapid Onset Opioids (ROOs)
- Prepare Managed Care/third party payers (TPPs) for the launch of FEBT

Prepare FEBT for launch (2005):

- Implement a clinical development program, including Health Economics Outcomes Research (HEOR), that supports launch of FEBT with a commercially competitive label for BTP in cancer by 3Q06 and an expanded label by 3Q07
- Continue Risk MAP development and negotiation with FDA



- Implement a communication plan strategy to differentiate FEBT and generate market anticipation
- Develop a value proposition for FEBT
- Determine branding elements, positioning and messaging; utilize these elements consistently even in the pre-launch phase
- Determine packaging
- Develop a pricing and negotiation strategy for Managed Care
- Establish and train the Pain Management Sales Force

#### Prepare FEBT for launch (2006 – up to launch)

- Continue to drive market anticipation for FEBT through appropriate vehicles (med-ed, pubs, PR)
- Continue to expand ACTIQ TRxs
- Implement a physician loyalty program
- Implement a patient loyalty program
- Implement internal communication initiatives
- Execute a Pain Franchise campaign to establish Cephalon as a committed partner and leader in pain market
- Execute the BTP campaign
- Execute an OraVescent technology campaign
- Continue to progress the clinical development program to support an expanded label
- Publish the BTP cancer
- Negotiate optimal BTP label and Risk MAP with FDA for BTP
- Finalize the pricing and negotiation strategy with MCOs
- Develop and implement the distribution strategy
- Prepare launch campaign
- Determine optimal targets and effective target approach
- Prepare Sales Force/MSLs/NAMs for launch
- Develop the call plan strategy
- Prepare for launch meeting
- Prepare 3039 Clinical Study Report for FDA submission as label change
- Prepare sNDA for low back and neuropathic BTP

#### Launch (3Q06)

- Launch FEBT:
  - Convert ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT adopters within the first 90 day period using a call plan that provides sufficient reach and a high level of frequency
  - Expand the physician prescriber base and drive new patient starts
- Submit 3039 label supplement to FDA immediately following approval
- Submit sNDA for non-cancer BTP immediately following approval
- Implement launch tactics
- Implement internal communications initiatives
- Implement a clinical experience program
- Publish the non-cancer clinical trials
- Assess message effectiveness, identify any barriers/objections and develop or adjust tactics if necessary

## **5.2 Promotional Budget Overview**

The recommended promotional budget for Prelaunch and Launch activities for FEBT in 2006 is as follows: FEBT only expenditures – \$13.6MM and FEBT + ACTIQ (both) expenditures – \$12.6MM.

## **5.3 Promotion**

### **5.31 Branding**

#### **1. Brand Identity Development**

- **Description:** Based on the brand positioning and brand essence a series of fonts, logos, icons, and colors will be reviewed and selected to determine the final brand image
- **Project Objective:** Establish look and feel for the selected FEBT brand name
- **Implementation:** Final logo and colors will be incorporated into prelaunch and launch tactics
- **Timing:** Development May '05 to July '05

#### **2. FEBT Concept Development**

- **Description:** Concept will communicate the key FEBT messages and positioning through copy and art
- **Project Objectives:**
  - Develop a campaign that incorporates and relays the FEBT key messages and positioning
  - Increase awareness and drive prescribing for FEBT
- **Target Audiences:** Opioid-prescribing physicians, consultant physicians, and advisors
- **Implementation:**
  - Concepts will be tested at the 3 national consultants meetings and in field market research
  - Selected concept will be included in all prelaunch and launch branded initiatives
- **Timing:** Development May '05 to January '06; Implementation ongoing

#### **FEBT Message Development**

- **Description:** Based on clinical trial data, a series of key messages will be developed in the areas of BTP, efficacy, safety, bioavailability, dosing, patient preference, etc
- **Project Objectives:**
  - Determine the optimal product story components for launch and promotion of FEBT
  - Determine optimal ordering of messages

**Target Audiences:** Opioid-prescribing physicians, consultant physicians, and advisors

### 5.32 Patient Database

- **Description:** The purpose of this database is to capture both ACTIQ & cancer patient names, should it be decided that there is a need to communicate with them before/after the launch of FEBT. Names will be captured by making minor revisions to already existing materials
- **Project Objective:** Develop an opt-in patient database to collect contact information to enable direct-to-patient (DTP) communication
- **Target Audiences:** ACTIQ patients
- **Implementation:** Database will be developed and managed on an ongoing basis through Promotech
- **Timing:** Development July '05 to September '05; Population October '05 through launch

#### Patient Opt-In Mechanisms:

##### 1. Web Site Revisions

- **Description:** Current ACTIQ Web site will be revised to include a program that will gather patient information and opt-in patients
- **Implementation:** Program will be developed and utilized up to launch and then incorporated into the FEBT Web site
- **Timing:** Development June '05 to September '05; Implementation October '05 to August '06

##### 2. Revisions to Existing 800 #

- **Description:** Current ACTIQ 800 # will be revised so that when a patient calls in there is a way to have patients opt-in and collect contact information
- **Implementation:** This method can be developed and utilized up to launch. At that point, it can be switched over to an FEBT 800 #
- **Timing:** Development June '05 to September '05; Implementation October '05 to August '06

##### 3. Coupon Book Revisions

- **Description:** Current Coupon Book will be revised to include 800 # so that patients can opt-in and information can be collected
- **Implementation:** Coupon books can be revised and used up to the launch of FEBT

**Timing:** Development June '05 to September '05; Implementation October '05 to August '06

### 5.33 BTP Communications Program

- **Description:** Concepts will be developed to raise disease awareness for BTP, as well as issues in treatment. Final execution will be educational – not promotional
- **Project Objectives:**

- Develop a cohesive campaign that incorporates and communicates BTP messages
- Build messages that can be incorporated into media and sales materials
- Increase awareness of BTP
- **Target Audiences:** Opioid-prescribing physicians and KOLs (investigators, consultants, advisors)
- **Implementation:** Concepts will be tested at the National Consultants Meetings in 3&4Q '05. Once finalized, the selected concept will be incorporated into
  - **Journal Ad** – 1-page ROB ad will discuss BTP and the issues in treatment, and placed into key pain journals (run March '06 through launch)
  - **Animation Video** – pain pathophysiology animation including intro to pain, neuro pathway, categorization (nociceptive vs neuropathic), acute vs chronic, BTP, and management issues
  - **Slim Jim** – 8- to 12-page brochure will incorporate the look/feel of the selected concept, as well as key information and images from the animated video
  - **Direct Mail:**
    - Mailer #1: Second-opinion mailer includes a customized envelope, cover letter, copy of the BTP slim jim, questionnaire designed to gain physician perceptions on BTP, and a BRC to obtain premium item (April '06)
    - Mailer #2: Mailer includes a small postcard and a copy of the BTP animation on a mini CD (May '06)
    - Mailer #3: Mailer includes a summary of the feedback on the questionnaire included in mailer #1 and a premium item, ie, medical textbook on pain (July '06)

Pain Assessment Tear Sheet – 2-sided tear sheet will be used to help patients to communicate their pain to physicians and help physicians assess their pain (July '05 through launch)

### 5.34 Franchise Campaign

- **Description:** Concepts will be developed to tell the franchise story: first corporate/pain commitment with a subsequent transition to a science/technology focus. Final execution will be educational – not promotional
- **Project Objective:** Create concepts that will best communicate the key franchise messages
- **Target Audiences:** Opioid-prescribing physicians, consultant physicians, and advisors
- **Implementation:**
  - Concepts will be tested with physicians at the last 3 national consultants meetings
  - Final concepts will be incorporated into campaign tactics
- **Timing:** Development July '05 to January '06

#### Franchise Campaign Tactical Executions:

##### 1. Journal Advertising

- **Description:** 2 different set of ads will tell the franchise story:

- The first will portray Cephalon's commitment to the pain market
- The second will provide a graphic portrayal of the OraVescent delivery technology.
- **Implementation:**
  - Corporate/pain commitment: Ad will run first for 3 to 5 months
  - Scientific: Ad will run second for 3 to 5 months
  - Ads will run in key pain management journals, and, where applicable, will run simultaneously with a published journal article
- **Timing:** Development November '05 to January '06; Implementation March '06 through launch

## **2. Scientific Information/Technology Booth**

- **Description:** A 20 x 20 booth incorporates the technology look and feel and provides a forum for Cephalon employees from the Medical Affairs and Clinical Departments
- **Implementation:** Booth will be displayed at all key pain conventions before/after the launch of FEBT starting with AAPM in February 2006
- **Timing:** Development June '05 to January '06; Implementation February '06 through launch

## **3. Booth Panels and Plasma Screen**

- **Description:** Booth panels and plasma screens will provide visual focus for the technology story at key scientific meetings
- **Implementation:**
  - Placement and content of panels to be determined based on regulatory guidance
  - Panels and animation will run in the Scientific Information/Technology Booth
- **Timing:** Development November '05 to January '06; Implementation February '06 through launch

## **4. Direct Mail Postcards**

- **Description:**
  - **Mailers #1 and #2:** Postcards include the look/feel and key messages from the corporate pain campaign concept
  - **Mailers #3 and #4:** Postcards include the look/feel and key messages from the OV delivery technology campaign concept
- **Implementation:**
  - Series of 4 mailers will be mailed from medical affairs over a course of 2 to 4 months during the prelaunch phase
- **Timing:** Development December '05 to February '06; Implementation March '06 to June '06

## **5. Sales Force Communication**

- **Description:** Internal materials will be used to educate and inform Cephalon sales representatives on the franchise campaign and OraVescent delivery technology (with no mention of fentanyl)
  - Marketing update prelaunch teaser will provide reps with an overview of all franchise materials
  - During the course of the prelaunch phase, a sales force "theme" can be developed and implemented into sales meetings, direct mailers, incentive items, e-mails, voicemails, etc, in order to build anticipation for the product launch
- **Project Objectives:**
  - Inform the field on all of the franchise tactics
  - Build anticipation for the product launch
- **Target Audiences:** Cephalon sales representatives and MSLs
- **Implementation:** Distributed to all sales representatives and MSLs prior to the utilization of materials
- **Timing: Development November '05 to January '06; Implementation February '06 to August '06**

### 5.35 OV Technology Tactical Executions

#### 1. Animation

- **Description:** Animated video will verbally and visually explain BTP, the OV delivery technology, and OraVescent story. Video will be developed in 3 segments, which will be implemented as allowed by regulatory guidelines and the expected timing of product launch. The first 2 segments (BTP and technology) will be implemented during the prelaunch phase in separate venues and then rolled out with the final segment (FEBT) at launch as 1 seamless video. Each segment will be about 2 to 3 minutes in length.
- **Project Objectives:**
  - Increase awareness for BTP (prelaunch)
  - Educate physicians on the OV delivery technology (prelaunch)
  - Build awareness and anticipation for the product launch
  - Build awareness for OraVescent Fentanyl at/postlaunch
- **Target Audiences:** Opioid-prescribing physicians, consultant physicians, and advisors
- **Implementation:**
  - Voice-over script and story boards will be shown and further developed at all 3 national consultants meetings
  - The rough animated video, including voice-over, will be submitted to a few key physicians for review and comments
  - In order to be flexible, final animated video will be compartmentalized to first roll out only the BTP and



technology portion of the story in the prelaunch phase and then roll out the whole story, including FEBT, after launch

- **Segments 1-2:** Direct mail with CD, scientific meetings (plasma screens), speaker presentations, and Web; "snip its" may be used in journal advertising, booth panels, collateral, etc
- **Segments 1-3:** Direct mail with CD, scientific meetings (plasma screens), speaker presentations, and Web; "snip its" may be used in journal advertising, booth panels, collateral, etc
- **Timing:** Development May '05 to January '06; Implementation February '06 through launch

## 2. Technology Brochure

- **Description:** 4-page brochure will incorporate the look/feel of the OV delivery technology campaign concepts, as well as the key messages and visuals from the animated video
- **Project Objectives:**
  - Prepare the market for the product launch
  - Educate physicians on the OraVescent delivery technology
  - Build awareness and anticipation for the product launch
- **Target Audiences:** Opioid-prescribing physicians, consultant physicians, and advisors
- **Implementation:**
  - The brochure can be used by all target audiences, and as a prelaunch educational piece for MSLs
  - Copies of the brochure can also be handed out in the booth or included in mailers
- **Timing:** Development November '05 to January '06; Implementation February '06 through launch

## 3. Premium Item

- **Description:** Premium item will be a "safe" tactic and correlate to one of the product's unique differentiating factors, ie, premium that displayed bubbles or demonstrated speed
- **Implementation:** Premium items can be distributed in multiple venues including booths at scientific meetings and direct mail campaigns
- **Timing:** Development October '05 to January '06; Implementation February '06 through launch

## 4. Mini Slide Kit

- **Description:** Small brochure and holder, 5 to 7 slides, and copy of the animation will tell the OraVescent delivery technology story
- **Project Objectives:**
  - Prepare the market for the product launch
  - Educate physicians and patients on the OraVescent delivery technology
  - Build awareness and anticipation for the product launch

- **Target Audiences:** Opioid-prescribing physicians, consultant physicians, and advisors
- **Implementation:**
  - Slide kit can be handed out at scientific meetings
  - Slides can be used in appropriate forums and as the FEBT Speakers' Bureau is assembled for training purposes
- **Timing:** Development November '05 to January '06; Implementation February '06 through launch

#### 5. Top-Tier Direct Mail – Options #1 and #2

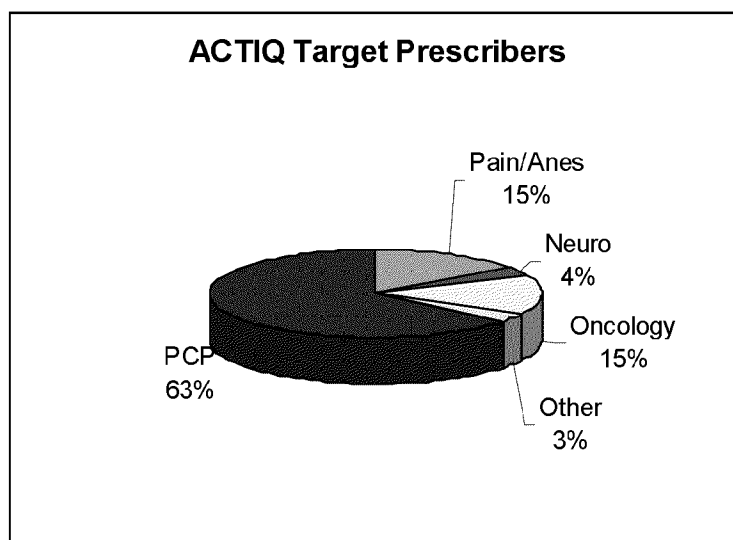
- **Option #1 Description:**
  - **Mailer #1:** Second-opinion mailer includes a customized envelope, cover letter, copy of the technology brochure, questionnaire designed to gain physician perceptions on the science, and a BRC to obtain premium item
  - **Mailer #2:** Mailer includes 1 of the postcards and a copy of the animation on a mini CD
  - **Mailer #3:** Mailer includes a summary of the feedback on the questionnaire included in mailer #1 and a premium item (this should be sent to all physicians regardless if they answered the questionnaire or not, in order to maximize awareness for the story during the prelaunch phase)
- **Option #2 Description:**
  - **Mailer #1:** Mailer includes a customized envelope; cover letter; stickers of headlines, subhead, and bullets options; blank journal ad with visuals only; and a return envelope
  - **Mailer #2:** Mailer includes 1 of the postcards and a copy of the animation on a mini CD
  - **Mailer #3:** Mailer includes a summary of the feedback on the journal ad included in mailer #1 and a premium item (this should be sent to all physicians regardless if they answered the questionnaire or not, in order to maximize awareness for the story during the prelaunch phase)
- **Project Objectives:**
  - Establish Cephalon as a leader in the pain category
  - Educate physicians on the OraVescent delivery technology
  - Build awareness and anticipation for the product launch
- **Target Audiences:** High-opioid prescribers and ACTIQ loyalist adapters
- **Implementation:**
  - Series of 3 mailers will be sent from Science Communication over a course of 2 to 4 months
- **Timing:**
  - **Mailer #1:** Development November '05 to January '06; Implementation February '06
  - **Mailer #2:** Development December '05 to February '06; Implementation March '06
  - **Mailer #3:** Development February '06 to April '06; Implementation May '06

### 5.36 Sales Force

Direct sales will be the cornerstone of the promotion strategy for FEBT. The Pain Care sales force consisting of 100 Sales Representatives and 12 Area Managers is slated to be in place by 4Q '05 to allow adequate time for the sales force to be trained, complete physician profiling, and establish relationships and rapport with their target healthcare providers.

### 5.37 Targeting

The total target physician list for FEBT will be based on a refined ACTIQ/SAO list. The list will include ~18,000 targets. Currently there are 30,259 ACTIQ physician targets who meet the definition of "knowledgeable and skilled in the use of opioids."



Source: SMART database Feb '04-Jan '05

Target #	
Pain/Anes:	4485
Neurology:	1090

The leading priority at launch will be to convert ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT adopters. There are a relatively small number of high-decile ACTIQ prescribers (~2500 accounting for 80+% of the TRx's). To drive this conversion a call plan will be established that has the appropriate level of reach and frequency to convert the key target ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT adopters within the first 90-day period postlaunch (see chart below for ACTIQ physician counts and additional potential physicians who write a large volume of SAOs).

**ACTIQ Decile Summary Feb 2004- Jan 2005**

Decile	ACTIQ Physician Count	LAO Physician Count	SAO* Physician Count	Pure SAO Physician Count	Combo SAO Physician Count
8-10	179	3330	20,725	2031	21,131
5-7	610	16,935	60,329	12,226	60,001

1-4	15,099	261,240	663,248	220,740	655,678
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>15,888</b>	<b>281,505</b>	<b>744,302</b>	<b>234,997</b>	<b>736,810</b>
<b>ACTIQ penetration</b>		<b>6%</b>	<b>2%</b>	<b>7%</b>	<b>2%</b>

\* SAO physician count includes pure and combo SAO.

As is evident in the table above, ACTIQ has penetrated only a small percentage of the pure SAO prescribers (7%). After the ACTIQ loyalists have been converted, the strategy for FEBT will be to expand the FEBT prescriber base by converting the non-ACTIQ, pure and combination SAO prescribers to FEBT users and adopters.

### Physician Segmentation

In addition to establishing call priorities based on prescribing patterns, the brand team expects to provide the sales force with physician segmentation data that will provide additional insights into a physician's prescribing behavior and potential. This additional insight into a physician's expertise/comfort with prescribing opioids may be used to set the sales call message strategy.

In the fall of 2004 market research initiated the segmentation project with the objective of refining the ACTIQ call targeting and messaging based on physician attitudes toward prescribing ACTIQ. The research identified 3 physician segments which are described in the table below:

Segment Name	Characteristics
<b>Experts</b> SAO Usage High TRx per Month >83* ACTIQ Potential: 1 <sup>†</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prefer to manage their own patients (rarely refer) because they consider themselves best equipped to handle severe pain</li> <li>• Favor "opioid agreements"</li> <li>• Comfortable using special procedures for pain management</li> <li>• Concerned about patients' opioid addiction/diversion, but has the patient management tools for dealing with these issues</li> <li>• Tend to not shy away from treating chronic patients long-term with opioids</li> </ul>
<b>Open and Understanding</b> SAO Usage: Moderate TRx per Month <82* ACTIQ Potential: 2 <sup>†</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Less sophisticated knowledge of pain management compared to experts but open to learning</li> <li>• More likely to refer severe chronic pain patients</li> <li>• Tend to be more patient centered and possibly more focused on quality of life (improved functioning)</li> <li>• Less likely to use special procedures</li> </ul>
<b>Conservative and Careful</b> SAO Usage: Moderate TRx per Month <82* ACTIQ Potential: 3 <sup>†</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Smaller portion of practice time focused on pain treatment</li> <li>• Concerns of abuse and diversion limit opioid prescribing</li> <li>• Least open to trying new pain medication</li> <li>• Tend to undertreat pain</li> <li>• Most likely to refer severe chronic pain patients</li> <li>• Less likely to use special procedures</li> </ul>

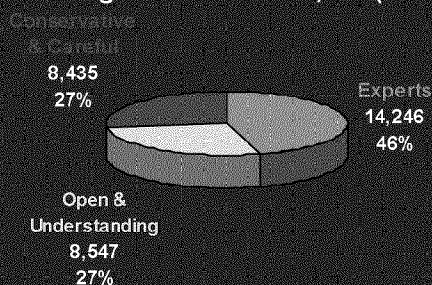
Source: Primary Research Ziment Fall '04.

## Segmentation Research Findings

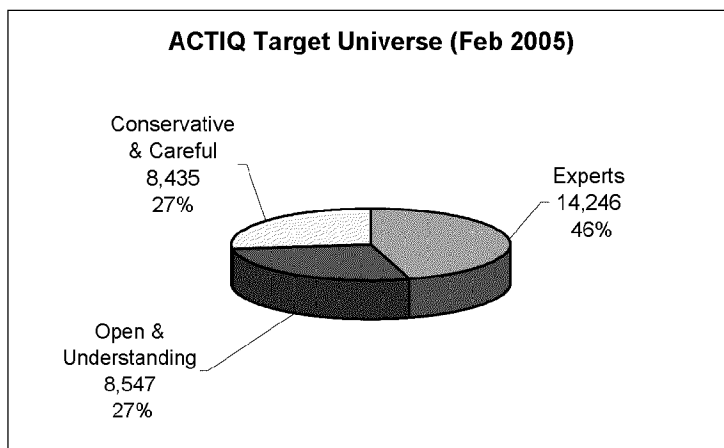
### 3 Segments Identified:

1. Experts
2. Open & Understanding (patient focused)
3. Conservative & Careful (concerns of A/A/D may limit usage)

**ACTIQ Target Universe = 31,331 (Feb2005)**



These segmentation profiles have been field tested in a small number of sales territories. Sales Force feedback indicated the segmentation data were useful in planning their sales calls in terms of messaging. The field test supported the hypothesis that the Experts and Open & Understanding targets were more receptive to ACTIQ compared to the Conservative and Careful physicians, though there were some individual physician exceptions. Conservative and Careful physicians typically treated less severe chronic pain compared to the other 2 segments and had more concerns regarding potential abuse and diversion of opioids. The chart below breaks down the number of ACTIQ targets by segment:



Source: Segmentation Study – Ziment Fall 2004

The next step is to provide the segmentation information to the Sales Force for use this year and to monitor its value over the coming time period. Feedback from the sales force

and additional research will be conducted to determine if this segmentation data will be applicable and of value to support the launch of FEBT.

Launch Call Strategy-TBD

		Months 1-3	Months 4-6	Months 7-12	Total PDEs
		2 PDEs/mth	1.5 PDEs	1 PDE	
ACTIQ prescribers by decile		26,172	19,629	26,172	71,973
Retail (3 per week?)					

For representation purposes. Actual call strategy to be developed with Sales Management.

### 5.38 Managed Markets

Securing favorable reimbursement for FEBT is critical; however, this objective must be weighed against the cost of securing favorable reimbursement. The Managed Markets Plan (see Appendix 2 for complete plan) outlines the tactics designed to identify the optimal strategic approach to achieving favorable reimbursement, the development of tools to support the strategies, and program implementation. The key aspects of the plan are listed below:

#### Part A: Determination of optimal strategy

1. Opportunity Assessment:
  - Advisory Board (5-7 attendees) meeting with former Managed Care executives to gain insights into the process for securing favorable reimbursement based on the projected market situation at launch (3Q '05)
2. Development of pricing and reimbursement model:
  - Designed to quantify pricing and reimbursement trade-offs developed in previous research
  - Provide input to FEBT forecast
  - Development timing – late 4Q '05

#### Part B: Customer Feedback

1. Customer Advisory Boards
  - Managed Care Advisory Board (10 attendees) to obtain customer insights into current pain treatment algorithms within managed markets, build customer relationships, and gain insights into their perceptions regarding the role of FEBT in their plans (October '05 at AMCP meeting)
  - Managed Care Advisory Boards (~10 attendees) to obtain customer insights regarding FEBT clinical and HEOR data, messages, contracting strategy, build customer relationships, and gain insights into potential impact of Medicaid Part D (1Q '06-3Q '06)



## Part B: Tactics

- Establish pricing and contract strategy
- Leverage KOL/society/advocacy endorsements to gain favorable reimbursement status
- MSLs will support NAM efforts to navigate the Formulary Review process (Ongoing in 2006)
- Create Managed Care dossier
- Develop slide kit to support efforts to gain formulary approval/favorable reimbursement
- Develop materials to support BTP awareness initiatives with MCO customers
- Develop value-added tools
  - Utilize ESP components
  - BTP/FEBT educational materials
- Train and prepare NAMs for launch

## Conventions

Conventions offer an important opportunity to interface with physician/customers and gain and exchange critical insights on the BTP market. In 2006 Cephalon will have a prelaunch educational presence (details TBD) at the following key meetings:

Name & 2006 date if known	Activity	Specialty/ Attendee #
<b>AAHPM</b> American Academy of Hospice & Palliative Medicine Feb 8-11 Nashville, TN	<b>ACTIQ</b> <b>Science Information Booth</b> - BTP	<b>Palliative Care</b> <b>500</b>
<b>AAPM</b> American Academy of Pain Medicine February 22-25 San Diego, CA	<b>ACTIQ</b> <b>Science Information Booth</b> - BTP	<b>Pain</b> <b>600</b>
<b>APS</b> American Pain Society May 2-3 San Antonio, TX	<b>ACTIQ</b> <b>Science Information Booth</b> - BTP, OV Technology	<b>Pain</b> <b>2000</b>
<b>ASPMN</b> American Society for Pain Mgmt Nurses March 31-April 2 Lake Buena Vista, FL	<b>ACTIQ</b> <b>Science Information Booth</b> - BTP	<b>Pain</b> <b>600</b>
<b>AAN</b> American Academy of Neurology April 1-8 San Diego, CA	<b>ACTIQ</b> <b>Science Information Booth</b> - BTP - OV Technology	<b>Neuro</b> <b>10,000</b>
<b>ASAM</b> American Society of Addiction Medicine May 4-7 San Diego, CA	<b>ACTIQ</b> <b>Science Information Booth</b> - BTP - OV Technology	<b>Psych</b> <b>800</b>
<b>AMCP</b> Academy of Managed Care Pharmacy April 5-8 Seattle, WA	<b>ACTIQ</b> <b>Science Information Booth</b> - BTP - OV Technology	<b>Pharmacists</b> <b>3000</b>
<b>ONS</b> Oncology Nursing Society May 4-7 New Orleans, LA	<b>ACTIQ</b> <b>Science Information Booth</b> - BTP - OV Technology	<b>Oncology</b> <b>8500</b>
<b>ASCO</b> American Society of Clinical Oncology May	<b>ACTIQ</b> <b>Science Information Booth</b> - BTP - OV Technology	<b>Oncology</b> <b>22,000</b>

#### **5.310 Trade Relations/Distribution**

In order to ensure FEBT is available at launch Trade Relations will notify wholesalers in sufficient time prior to launch. Promotional tools will be created to communicate the necessary information to support stocking initiatives.

At launch wholesalers and pharmacies will be notified via communications tools such as PharmAlert, Blast Faxes, etc.

### **5.4 Integrated Strategic Communication Plan**

The Integrated Strategic Communication Plan is the overarching plan that outlines the message strategy, integrates the multiple components designed to communicate these messages clearly and consistently to Cephalon customers (see Appendix 9 for full ISCP Plan).

#### **5.41 Publications**

The FEBT publication plan includes the strategies and tactics for dissemination of FEBT clinical data. The goal is to publish the cancer BTP clinical data prior to, but no later than, launch for BTP in cancer patients. Subsequently, the noncancer BTP trial data will be published at best by 4Q '06, or at the latest by no later than 1Q '07. Publication of the trial data will be essential for securing reimbursement and promoting FEBT (see Appendix 3 FEBT Development Plan for detailed list of publications).

#### **5.42 Key Opinion Leader Development**

Third-party advocacy and medical education will be critically important to communicating core scientific messages and FEBT product messages when appropriate. Some of the key programs to carry these activities forward include the following:

- MCO & Pharmacy Director meetings to support the adoption of FEBT in Managed Care
- Symposia at key meetings utilizing key opinion leaders
- Inclusion of KOLs in the clinical development program
- KOL involvement in publications

#### **5.43 Medical Education and Continuing Medical Education (CME)**

Medical education will be conducted to increase awareness of BTP and its appropriate assessment, diagnosis, and treatment.

See the Pain Franchise Medical Education Plan for program specifics.

#### **Major Initiative: Emerging Solutions in Pain (ESP)**

Many clinicians have expressed a great need for assistance in the assessment of the risk of abuse, addiction, and diversion among the pain-patient population. *Emerging*

*Solutions in Pain* (ESP) is a branded educational initiative supported by Cephalon, Inc., in order to support the need for appropriate education in the field of pain management. *ESP* is an ongoing initiative that is being developed by physicians for physicians, pharmacists, and other healthcare professionals, to address some of the most critical issues in pain management today. Through the expertise of a cadre of leading pain and addiction medicine experts, the *ESP* program will provide clinicians with guidance in the implementation of good practice management techniques, emphasizing favorable interaction with regulatory and law enforcement agencies, as well as effective assessment, monitoring, and documentation strategies, which will contribute to the overall goal of optimizing outcomes for their pain patients.

#### 5.44 Public Relations

Communicating directly with customers, both physicians and patients, provides numerous opportunities for increasing the visibility of FEBT and expanding the presence of Cephalon in the BTP market. Some of these opportunities include

- Publicize results of key clinical studies or analyses
- Highlight the output of key conferences, events, or symposia
- Publicize support for key patient advocacy groups
- Publicize presentations, abstracts, and posters at key medical meetings

#### 5.5 Market Research

See the Pain Franchise Market Research Plan 2005/2006 (APPENDIX 10)

#### 5.6 FEBT Clinical Development Plan

The following are the clinical trials being conducted to support the NDA for BTP in cancer patients:

Study	Population	Treatments(s)	N	Primary Objective(s)	Primary Outcome	LPLV	Claim
99-011 PK study	Healthy volunteers	FEBT 270, 810, 1080, 1300 mcg ACTIQ®1600	42	Establish the PK profile of FEBT	C <sub>max</sub> , AUC, T <sub>max</sub>	Completed	
99-018 Dose Proportionality	Healthy volunteers	FEBT 200, 500, 810, 1080 mcg	27	Determine if dose strengths proportional	C <sub>max</sub> , AUC	Completed	There is dose proportionality among the dose strengths and multiples
1026-PK of multiple lower vs. higher dose	Healthy volunteers	FEBT 100 mcg, 400 mcg	24	4x100 mcg is equivalent to 1x400 mcg	C <sub>max</sub> , AUC, T <sub>max</sub>	2Q '05	Multiple lower dose strengths = to equivalent high-dose tab
1027-Dose proportionality	Healthy volunteers	FEBT 100, 200, 400, 800 mcg	24	Determine PK characteristics of doses and show proportionality	C <sub>max</sub> , AUC	2Q '05	PK profile and dose proportionality

Study	Population	Treatments(s)	N	Primary Objective(s)	Primary Outcome	LPLV	Claim
1028-Absolute Bioavailability	Healthy volunteers	FEBT 800, ACTIQ <sup>®</sup> 800, Fentanyl Inj, Fentanyl PO Sol.	24	Determine the absolute and relative bioavailability of fentanyl delivered via FEBT	AUC	2Q '05	ACTIQ to FEBT dosing recommendation
1029-MD PK	Healthy volunteers	FEBT 400 mcg	24	Determine the steady state kinetics of FEBT	C <sub>maxss</sub> and C <sub>minss</sub>	2Q '05	Steady state kinetics
<b>099-14 Efficacy PIVOTAL TRIAL</b>	BTP – Cancer	FEBT and PBO	120	Efficacy from 15-60 minutes, global evaluation of efficacy	SPID 0-30	1Q '05	Efficacy in BTP in cancer pts
<b>099-15- OL 12-mo Safety</b>	BTP – Cancer	None	400	Safety	Safety	2Q '06	Safety, exposure requirement
<b>099-16 Safety</b>	Cancer patients with mucositis	FEBT 200 mcg	18	Determine if PK of FEBT are altered in this population, tolerability	C <sub>max</sub> , AUC, T <sub>max</sub>	2Q '05	PK not altered in patients with mucositis
<b>3039 Cancer BTP-Onset PIVOTAL TRIAL NOTE: Not in initial NDA—to be submitted for label change after approval</b>	BTP – Cancer	FEBT vs placebo, crossover	70	Efficacy data from 5-120 minutes, time to meaningful pain relief	Switching data ACTIQ to FEBT	4Q '05	Differentiate FEBT

The following trials will support the sNDA for non-cancer BTP:

Study	Population	Treatments(s)	N	Primary Objective(s)	Primary Outcome	LPLV	Claim
<b>3041 Efficacy PIVOTAL TRIAL</b>	Noncancer BTP lower-back pain	FEBT and PBO	100	Efficacy from 5-120 minutes, onset of action, level of product preference	SPID 0-30	1Q '06	Efficacy in lower-back pain BTP
<b>3040 OL Safety 12 mos</b>	Noncancer BTP	None	600	Safety, QOL, physical & emotional functioning, ER visits, mood, sleep, BTP medication preference		3Q '06	Safety, differentiate FEBT, exposure requirement
<b>3042 Noncancer BTP Neuropathic Pain PIVOTAL TRIAL</b>	Noncancer BTP neuropathic pain	FEBT vs. placebo	100	Efficacy, time to meaningful pain relief, efficacy up to 120 min	Improved function and QOL, pt preference	1Q '06	Efficacy in neuropathic pain BTP

## 5.7 FEBT Health Economics Outcomes Research Plan

The following HEOR projects are planned to support efforts to secure favorable reimbursement:

Project	Objectives	Actions/Deliverables
Evidence-based review	Capture clinical, economic, competitive landscape	<p>Action: Review the medical literature, clinical environment, and humanistic characteristics &amp; and assess the medical literature on the economic burden of chronic pain and BTP among pain patients</p> <p><b>Deliverable:</b> Provide input to the product team regarding HEOR issues to support product plan initiatives</p>
Burden of Illness study examining <b>Work Productivity</b> among workers treated for chronic pain	<p>Support for market access</p> <p>Create economic messages</p>	<p>Action: Conduct a retrospective database analysis in a worker population that will include manufacturing, transportation, telecommunications, and pharmaceutical workers to describe absenteeism, presenteesim, and medical service utilization</p> <p><b>Deliverable:</b> Publication and data for Budget Impact Model</p>
<b>Economic Analysis</b> of chronic and BTP among users and nonusers of ACTIQ	<p>Product Differentiation</p> <p>Cost-effectiveness messages</p> <p>Support for reimbursement</p> <p>Support for market access</p>	<p>Action: Cost-effective analysis examining the impact of treating BTP and Pain flares in the right patients (ie, cancer, lower back pain, OA, sickle cell anemia) at the right time</p> <p>Action: Collect data from TJU Historical Prospective Study in patients with chronic and BTP, literature review, clinical trials 3040-3042, and Burden of Illness worker population study, Maine Medical Center</p> <p><b>Deliverable:</b> Design a Budget Impact Model &amp; Publication</p>



Project	Objectives	Action/Deliverables
FEBT Dossier Update	Support reimbursement  Support market access  Tool for market support	Action: Work with internal departments and external vendors to develop FEBT dossier   <b>Deliverable:</b> Design a budget impact model
Prevalidation and Validation of <b>Treatment Satisfaction</b> Questionnaire (PAIN Flare TSQ)	Product differentiation  Develop value messages	Action: Conduct a prevalidation and cognitive debriefing for the development of the Treatment Satisfaction questionnaire in patients who experience pain flares (incl. BTP, pain crises, acute episodic pain, etc)  <b>Deliverable:</b> Questionnaire
<b>Validation</b> of the Pain Flare TSQ	Product differentiation  Develop value messages	Action: Validate the questionnaire in Phase IV clinical trials FEBT vs SAO, and FEBT vs LAOs  <b>Deliverable:</b> Validation of the questionnaire & publications
<b>EU</b> Development initiatives	Support market access  Product differentiation  QOL & economic messages  Support reimbursements	Action: Integrate HEOR into development plans and initiatives in order to assist in the reimbursement process in the EU

Project	Objectives	Action/Deliverables
Prevalidation of the <b>Acute Pain Episode</b> questionnaire and Prevalidation of Web site	Product Differentiation  Develop value messages	Action: Develop a questionnaire to measure real time impact of BTP and the effect of immediate relief of pain and on levels of functioning in low back pain and neuropathic pain patients with BTP  <b>Deliverable:</b> Cephalon-copyrighted questionnaire for use in future clinical trials and publications  <b>Deliverable:</b> Successful use of PDA to capture BTP data and Web site design for physicians and patients to review data imputed close to the actual time of the pain crisis. The Web site would assist physicians in diagnosing and tracking pain crises.  <b>Deliverable:</b> Questionnaire for future use in Phase IV trials.
<b>Validation</b> of the <b>Acute Pain Episode</b> questionnaire and Web site design	Product differentiation  Develop value messages  Strategy: Support and/or drive development of initiatives (ie, education, publications) to overcome prescriber and pt fears	Action: Validate the acute pain episode questionnaire in a Phase IV FEBT clinical trials  <b>Deliverable:</b> Validated questionnaire, publication, poster presentation at major meeting

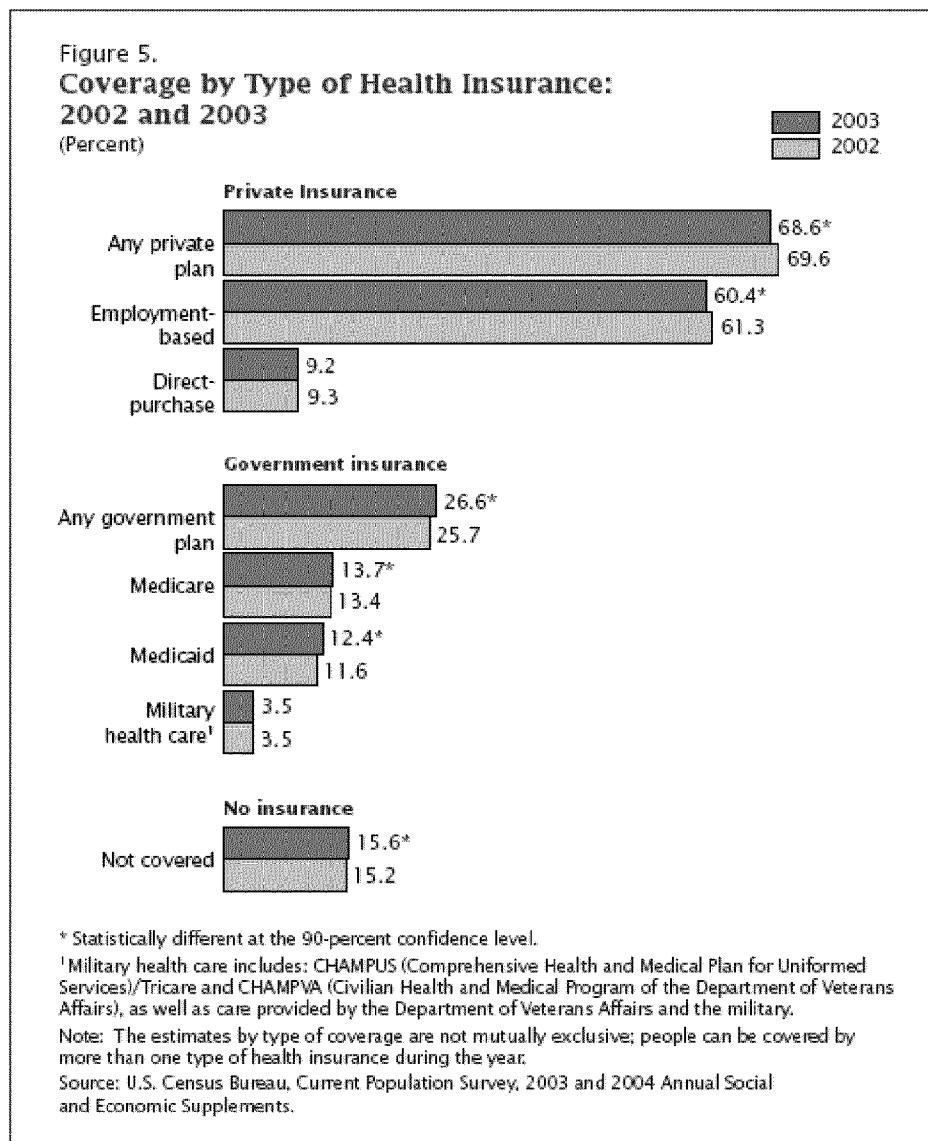
## 5.8 Launch Execution

A Launch Planning committee will be assembled by September '05 to plan for the launch of FEBT. In addition, a separate Launch Meeting Team will be assembled to execute the Sales Force Launch Meeting.

## 6 APPENDICES

### *Appendix 1 – Managed Care Background*

According to the US Census Bureau in 2003, approximately 85% of Americans had some type of health insurance. The majority of these Americans have healthcare insurance via their employer (60%) or the government (27%). The amount of out-of-pocket expense to an individual/family for medical care and prescription drugs is highly variable depending on the structure of their healthcare insurance.

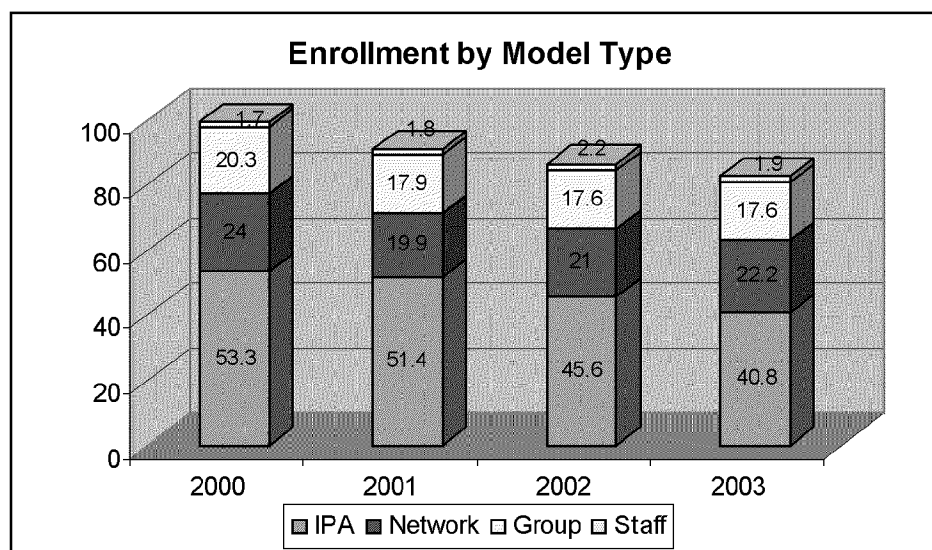


Indemnity insurance, the traditional fee for service healthcare, has become less prevalent as "managed care" has become the norm. This type of healthcare coverage is more expensive to the individual but offers the greatest flexibility of "choice" in terms of

healthcare services. Individuals pay a monthly premium plus are subject to a deductible that must be met before the health insurance company begins to contribute to an individual's healthcare costs. In addition, other forms of payments like co-payments per service or co-insurance (a certain percentage of healthcare costs) are fairly typical.

Managed care is an alternative to indemnity insurance. Managed care is a broad term and encompasses many different types of organizations, payment mechanisms, review mechanisms, and collaborations. These organizations are designed to ensure the provision of appropriate healthcare services in a cost-efficient manner. Systems and techniques used to control the use of healthcare services typically includes a review of medical necessity, incentives to use certain providers, incentives to use less expensive medications, and case management. Managed care has effectively formed a "go-between," brokerage, or third-party arrangement by existing as the gatekeeper between payers, providers, and patients.

According to Verispan LLC, the number of lives enrolled in managed care has been declining over the past 3 years, down from 99.3 million in 2000 to 82.5 million in 2003. This decline has been primarily in the IPA (Individual Practice Association) model. The numbers of enrolled lives by model type are displayed in the chart below:



Source: Verispan LLC 2004.

### ***Model Type Definitions***

**Individual Practice Association (IPA)** – An HMO model in which the HMO contracts with a physician organization that in turn contracts with individual physicians. The IPA physicians provide care to HMO members from their private offices and continue to see their fee-for-service patients.

**Network Model HMO** – A health plan that contracts with multiple physician groups to deliver healthcare to members. Generally limited to large single or multi-specialty groups. Distinguished from group model plans that contract with a single medical group, IPAs that contract through an intermediary, and direct contract model plans that contract with individual physicians in the community.

Group Practice – A group of persons licensed to practice medicine in the state, who, as their principal professional activity, and as a group responsibility, engage or undertake to engage in the coordinated practice of their profession primarily in 1 or more group practice facilities, and who (in their connection) share common overhead expenses (if and to the extent such expenses are paid by members of the group), medical and other records, and substantial portions of the equipment and the professional, technical, and administrative staffs.

Group Practice Without Walls – Similar to an independent practice association, this type of physician group represents a legal and formal entity where certain services are provided to each physician by the entity, and the physician continues to practice in his/her own facility. It can include marketing, billing and collection, staffing, management, and the like.

Staff Model HMO – A model in which the HMO hires its own physicians. Very much like the group model, except the doctors are employees of the HMO. Generally, all ambulatory health services are provided under 1 roof in the staff model.

#### Government Beneficiaries

The total number of government beneficiaries enrolled in HMOs rose 4.3% in 2003 to 21.1 million from 20.2 million in 2002. The numbers of 2003 enrolled government beneficiaries by model type are listed in the table below:

**2003 Government Beneficiaries Enrolled in HMO by Type  
(000)**

	Medicare Risk	Medicare Cost	Medicaid	FEHBP (Federal Employee Health Benefit Plan)	Total HMO Govt.
IPS	1593	115	6403	1242	9354
Network	1804	137	4881	534	7356
Group	1291	116	1600	516	3523
Staff	121	26	581	106	834
<b>Total US</b>	<b>4809</b>	<b>394</b>	<b>13,465</b>	<b>2398</b>	<b>21,066</b>

Source: Verispan LLC 2004.

#### ***Managed Care Types***

Currently many managed care plans offer different types of plans:

- Preferred Provider Organization (PPO) – very common
- Point-of-Service (POS) – not very common
- Health Maintenance Organization (HMO) – the original form

The basic characteristics of all 3 are the same; they are designed to encourage the individual to seek care within the network. The difference is mainly in the degree of compensation for medical treatment outside of the network.

As of 2003, Verispan noted that 100% of the tracked managed care plans adhered to drug formularies. Most plans review their formulary on a quarterly basis (56%) while some (19%) review the formulary on an annual basis. Only a small percentage of plans review their formulary on a monthly (6%) or semi-monthly basis (8%).

The majority of plans have a 3-tier co-pay system while a limited number (7%) of plans do have a 4-tier system. Slightly greater than 90% of plans have no cap on the drug benefit. In the plans (approximately only 9% of plans) that do implement individual drug benefit caps, the annual average is \$2500.

In 2003, 82% of managed care plans required substitution of generic drugs when they were available. There is an increasing trend for plans to require members pay a higher co-pay for the branded product if they refuse a generic alternative (72% of plans in 2003), or pay the difference between branded and generic cost (60% of plans), or even to pay the entire cost of the drug (19% of plans).

In addition to co-pay tiered systems aimed at patients, managed care also tries to influence physician-prescribing behaviors. These techniques are listed in the table below:

	No controls	Financial incentives	Drug utilization review (DUR)	Quality assurance	Second opinion	Prior authorization	Step edits	Practice guidelines
IPS	0.4%	31%	93%	76%	4%	92%	76%	80%
Network	0.0%	21%	82%	55%	1%	93%	72%	65%
Group	0.0%	30%	85%	75%	3%	95%	92%	80%
Staff	0.0%	21%	71%	79%	14%	93%	79%	71%
<b>Overall Average</b>	<b>0.2%</b>	<b>28%</b>	<b>88%</b>	<b>69%</b>	<b>4%</b>	<b>93%</b>	<b>77%</b>	<b>75%</b>

Source: Verispan LLC 2004.

The majority of managed care plans, regardless of type, use Pharmacy Benefit Managers (PBMs) to handle prescription services. Most plans utilize PBMs to manage prescription claims (90%), perform DUR (69%), other administrative services (67%), and/or dispensing (58%).

### **Medicare**

Medicare is a federal health insurance program for people age 65 and older and for individuals with disabilities. The Medicare benefit is administered and funded in 4 parts:

Part A covers:

- Hospital care, nursing home, home health, and hospice.
  - No monthly premium for this coverage.
  - Cost sharing via co-pays and deductibles for hospital care.
  - Pharmaceuticals used in the hospital are covered.
- Inpatient hospital care accounts for 40% of all spending in Medicare.

Part B covers:

- Any person eligible for part A is eligible for part B.
  - Monthly premium of \$66.60/month required.
  - Covers physician visits and clinical lab services.
  - Hospital outpatient and ambulatory surgical services.



- Pharmaceuticals administered by physicians in office or outpatient setting.
- Rx administered in physician office are covered by Medicare (certain injectibles, etc). Self-administered Rx are paid for by recipient.

Part C covers:

- Medicare + Choice
  - Managed Medicare paid by capitation system.
  - Provides more choices for beneficiaries.
  - 79% of beneficiaries have access to these types of plans but only 11% have enrolled.
  - Typically a generic-only formulary.

Part D: a new outpatient drug-benefit option

In 2003, the Medicare Prescription Drug, Improvement, and Modernization Act of 2003 (MMA) was enacted into law. The MMA establishes a new voluntary outpatient prescription drug-benefit program. This new benefit becomes available to beneficiaries beginning on January 1, 2006.

There are 3 ways a beneficiary may have Part D coverage:

1. "Medicare Advantage," like part C, a managed Medicare plan with medical and pharmacy benefits. The plan has the risk.
2. "Prescription Drug Plan," or PDP. Member stays in Medicare FFS for medical benefit but signs up with a PDP, most likely a PBM for drug benefit. PBM has risk for drug spend.
3. "Fallback Plan" – in any area where there is not at least 2 private plan options, it becomes Medicare's responsibility or risk to cover pharmaceuticals.

The benefit will be administered by PBMs and Managed Care. The Part D drug benefit generally includes all drugs covered by Medicaid and excludes all drugs for which payment is made available under Medicare Parts A and B. However, the MMA permits plans to use formularies provided they meet certain standards. Plans are required to include in their formularies drugs within each therapeutic category and class. A model classification system is being developed by the United States Pharmacopeia (USP). The USP has established a Model Guidelines Expert Committee to develop the model.

- The USP has created an initial draft of Model Guidelines consisting of therapeutic categories and associated pharmacologic classes—work is ongoing.
- USP is also charged with revising the classification periodically to reflect changes in therapeutic use of covered drugs and additions of new covered drugs.
- The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) is charged with overseeing the implementation of the drug benefit to ensure the formulary does not substantially discourage enrollment by beneficiaries.
- Plan Sponsors are not required by law to use the USP model guidelines; however, it appears they are being encouraged to do so.

Plans will have flexibility (subject to certain constraints) to establish varying features of the formulary:

- Levels of cost-sharing requirements and coverage limits other than “standard” coverage
- Lists of drugs to include on their formulary, and on which tier
- Cost management tools, ie, PA, step therapy, tier levels

The Medicare Part D benefit program specifics continue to evolve. Cephalon will monitor program developments and adjust strategies accordingly. For additional information see Appendix 8 for a Medicare Part D presentation prepared by the Cephalon National Accounts Team.

## ***Appendix 2 – Managed Markets Plan***

### **MANAGED MARKETS SITUATION**

#### ***BTP Is Not Well Understood by Clinicians or Health Plan Decision Makers***

The definition of breakthrough pain (BTP) is imprecise in that it broadly describes 3 quite different types of pain:

- **Incidence pain**—associated with a specific activity, but is unpredictable because for some patients pain does not occur consistently with the activity, while for others the activity that triggers the pain occurs unpredictably
- **Episodic pain**—the purest form of BTP, episodic pain also occurs unpredictably and is not associated with loss of analgesia or a physical activity
- **End of dose pain**—the reemergence of chronic pain due to the diminishing effect of an LAO.

Because end-of-dose pain is included in the broad definition of BTP, it dilutes the importance of a key characteristic of BTP that makes it both a personal challenge for the sufferer and a clinical management challenge for the clinician. That characteristic is “unpredictability.” End-of-dose pain simply occurs in response to inadequate dosing of the LAO, a problem that can be resolved easily and inexpensively by adjusting dose or frequency of the LAO.

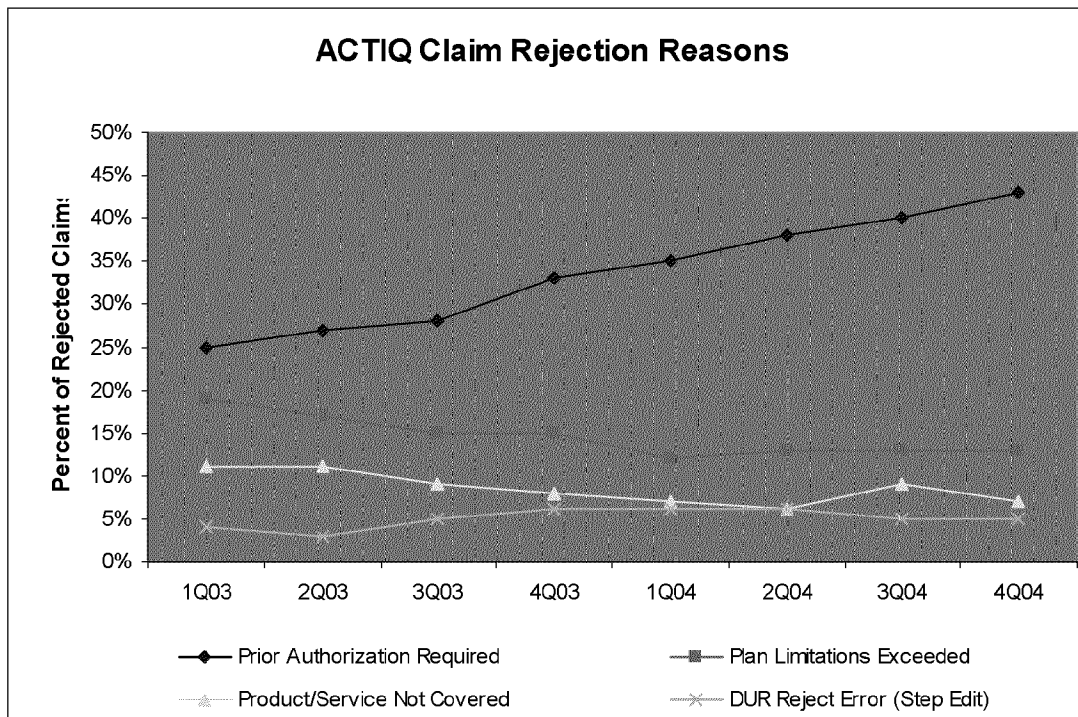
#### ***Current Treatment Patterns for BTP Suggest SAOs Are Adequate for BTP***

Although a 2-part consensus recommendation on the assessment and management of BTP was just published in the journal *P&T*, no single authoritative algorithm guides the treatment of BTP. Currently, clinicians rely on LAOs and pure or combination SAOs to manage BTP, choosing from a wide variety of low-cost generic and branded products. The decision tree for the treatment of BTP was elucidated in market research conducted among medium-to-heavy ACTIQ prescribers (see chart below). ACTIQ was included within the SAO branch but separated on its own limb, most likely in recognition of its unique pharmacologic profile, dosing form, and cost. Nevertheless, this research suggests that ACTIQ and SAOs are considered clinically interchangeable by prescribers.

Thus while ACTIQ, the archetypal ROO, is recognized as different, that difference is not fully appreciated for its clinical importance. Essentially, the prevailing attitude among prescribers might be summed up as, “ACTIQ is a high-performance, luxury SAO.”

### ***Managed Care Organizations (MCOs) Are Increasing Restrictions on Expensive Medications***

Despite significant hurdles to access erected by managed care plans, claim approvals for ACTIQ held steady at ~94% through 2004. As impressive and encouraging as this performance is, without further primary research it is impossible for us to quantify the impact that prior authorization has had on ACTIQ prescribing. Physicians committed to the idea of an ROO will take the steps necessary to ensure that their patients with BTP get ACTIQ. Our data, however, shed no light on the behaviors of less committed prescribers.



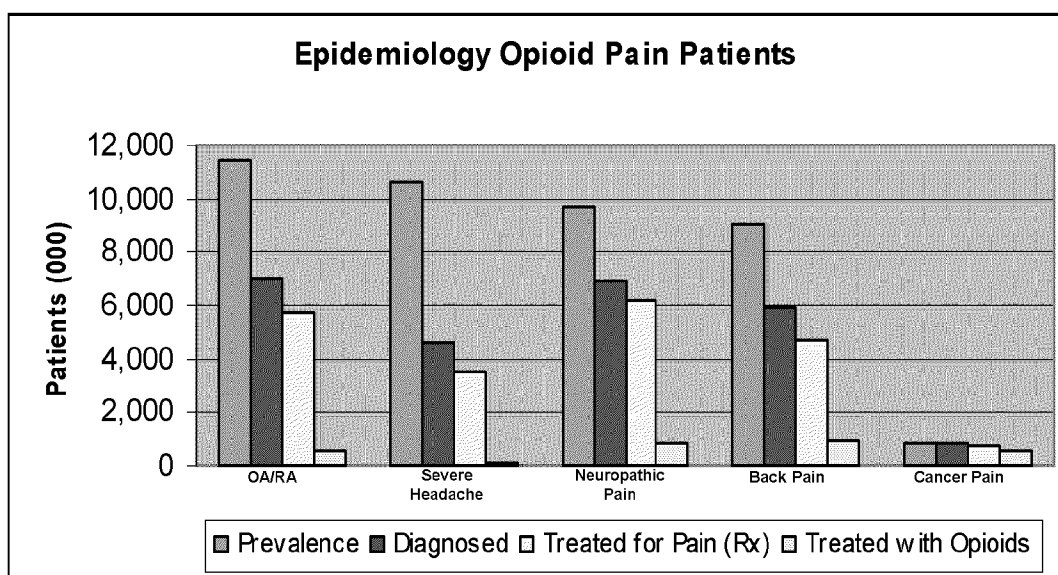
Furthermore, FEBT will launch into a market where generic fentanyl lozenges (OTFC) will be available from Barr Pharmaceuticals. Even if a managed care plan authorizes the use of an ROO, they will most likely give generic OTFC the most favorable reimbursement status because of lower price and perceived parity. Therefore, Cephalon must assess the effects of downward pressure on pricing on the volume of ROO category sales and whether less-than-premium pricing creates an opportunity for FEBT to dominate the category. It will be critical that FEBT be differentiated from OTFC in order to command some level of premium pricing vs generic OTFC. Marketing must determine which of the possible scenarios has the greatest commercial viability for Cephalon: lower price plus high share of a growing new segment (ROOs), or higher price in an increasingly competitive and restricted market.

<p><b>Strengths</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cephalon's high BTP market IQ</li> <li>• Experienced National Accounts team</li> <li>• Rapid-onset analgesia of FEBT</li> <li>• More convenient to use formulation compared to ACTIQ</li> <li>• Growing relationships with key opinion leaders (KOLs)</li> <li>• MSLs will help expand KOL relationship to provide valuable scientific communications to pain specialists</li> <li>• Support of Emerging Solutions in Pain (ESP) program</li> </ul>	<p><b>Weaknesses</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Limited ability to differentiate from ACTIQ and generic OTFC without clinical trial data from 3039 in the label</li> <li>• Label limited at launch to BTP in cancer</li> <li>• Inherent abuse potential of opioids (CII)</li> <li>• No HEOR benefit analysis</li> <li>• No QoL data</li> <li>• Assumed premium price</li> </ul>
<p><b>Opportunities</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Increase awareness of BTP, its proper assessment, and appropriate treatment (ROOs)</li> <li>• Establish ROO as a new and distinct category within United States Pharmacopoeia (USP) classification system</li> <li>• Demonstrate value proposition for ROOs and FEBT for patients with BTP (work, family, physical activities): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Clinical evidence showing superiority of ROO vs SAO for treating BTP</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Establish and take leadership position with respect to ROOs</li> <li>• Managed markets contracting for less restrictive hurdles for reimbursement</li> </ul>	<p><b>Threats</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Generic OTFC</li> <li>• Third-Party Payers' (TPP) limited understanding of BTP and its appropriate treatment</li> <li>• Growing reimbursement restrictions</li> <li>• Counter-details from plans (PharmD)</li> <li>• Counter-detailing from competition</li> <li>• KOL perception that SAOs and ROOs may reinforce aberrant behavior</li> <li>• Increased regulatory scrutiny of and media focus on the opioid class</li> <li>• Future branded competition</li> </ul>

## KEY MANAGED MARKETS ISSUES

### ***1. Low awareness and limited understanding of appropriate diagnosis, assessment, and appropriate treatment for BTP by third-party payers (TPPs)***

Despite the commercial success of ACTIQ to date, many patients suffering from BTP are inadequately managed with SAOs. This is because many physicians, including pain specialists and oncologists, are unaware or do not have a full appreciation of the nature, incidence, and impact of BTP and the need for ROO. The table below presents derived estimates of prevalence, diagnosis rates, and treated patients by the leading disease states treated with opioids:



Source: Analysis of secondary data reports by Cephalon Market Research Department.

### ***2. Absence of time to convert ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT adopters***

The most significant marketing issue facing Cephalon with FEBT™ stems from the agreement with the FTC allowing Barr Laboratories to market generic OTFC upon final approval (and ACTIQ patent expiration September 2006—it's not just the Barr situation) of FEBT and compelling Cephalon to assist Barr if they are incapable of manufacturing OTFC. This leaves Cephalon little time to establish FEBT as the ideal therapeutic (unsubstitutable) option for BTP.

Barr is expected to launch their generic OTFC at least 30 days prior to the introduction of FEBT. Retail pharmacies will update their systems for a generic OTFC alternative as soon as it becomes available. Most health plans have mandatory generic substitution policies and therefore the majority of new ACTIQ prescriptions will be substituted. In addition, in an effort to control costs health plans may establish prior authorization and/or step edits to limit FEBT usage.



Furthermore, prescriptions for CII products may not be refilled. Patients must see their prescribing physician on a monthly basis to receive their next CII prescriptions. As a result of this, there is a limited window of opportunity to convert ACTIQ loyalists to FEBT before generic OTFC becomes firmly entrenched in the market.

The successful proven industry practice has been to drive product switches to the successor brand prior to the introduction of a generic alternative, optimally 12 to 18 months prior to loss of exclusivity. A successful conversion within managed care largely depends on the following variables:

- Adequate time to establish provider and patient demand and preference for the successor over the precursor
- A clear and meaningful differentiation between the precursor and its successor, which supports either cost-neutrality or cost-effectiveness (eg, greater clinical benefits for identifiable patients, proven reduction in other healthcare costs, favorable pricing or a combination of all 3). Therefore, beginning as soon as possible, Cephalon must establish FEBT as the superior ROO based on the following clinical profile:
  - Rapid onset of analgesia
  - Effervescent, quick-dissolving tablet formulation (no stick)
  - More consistent and predictable delivery of fentanyl than other formulations
- Sophisticated and well-trained managed markets national account team that can engage in a productive dialogue with managed care decision makers
- Comprehensive and flexible managed markets strategy to optimize reimbursement (reimbursement that lowers barriers to patient access to FEBT) or to overcome health plan resistance (eg, prior authorization, etc)

Ultimately, a lack of switch time, the immediate availability of generic OVTF, and the proven efficiency with which managed care organizations switch patients to generic substitutes supports the assumption that ACTIQ brand sales will erode at a rapid rate. This makes the time period prior to launch and immediately following the FEBT launch (30-90 days) critical to the success of FEBT.

Prior to launch it is imperative to secure sufficient resources to establish the clinical potential of FEBT through health economic and phase IV clinical trials that will prove its value in specific patients and grow its potential utility beyond those patients currently treated with SAOs, ACTIQ, or OVTF.

It will also be critical for Cephalon to develop a 2-part contingency strategy that optimizes the commercial value of FEBT. The first option will be to *appropriately* trade price (via rebates, discounts, etc) for lower barriers to usage and better reimbursement. The second option will be to support physicians and patients in optimizing reimbursement and overcoming barriers, such as prior authorization.

### **3. Limited KOL relationships to influence treatment algorithms and MCO policy**

Cephalon has limited relationships with KOLs compared to other companies that market branded pain medications. Favorable expert opinion supporting the appropriate use of FEBT will help encourage MCOs to lessen expected restrictions to access for patients with BTP.

Cephalon must expand and solidify these important relationships and engage these KOLs in market conditioning activities in anticipation of the launch of FEBT. They will be required to interpret, and disseminate the recent consensus panel recommendations published by Bennett, Burton, and Fishman, et al, in the June 2005 issue of *P&T*. These should become the foundation of more official, sanctioned guidelines for the use of ROOs in the treatment of BTP and for differentiating FEBT from OTFCs. These guidelines can provide compelling evidence to support a unique place for FEBT on the drug formularies of managed care plans, Medicaid, and Medicare.

### **4. Significant resources required to create demand and pull through**

Demand will be a major determinant of MCO interest in covering FEBT. This demand must come first and foremost from pain specialists, who are the highest prescribers of opioids. At a grassroots level, the expert opinion of practicing pain specialists will weigh heavily, especially if they're willing to write letters of medical necessity to assist patients who they believe benefit most from FEBT.

In order to effectively mobilize these important customers Cephalon will need to allocate significant budgetary and personnel resources for FEBT prelaunch and launch activities, which include but are not limited to the following:

- Clinical development opportunities for Phase IIIb & IV studies (including HEOR)
- Market conditioning to establish a new, emerging class of opioids (Rapid Onset Opioids—ROOs) and differentiate FEBT from OTFC
- Key Opinion Leader activities such as clinical research, medical education around BTP assessment and treatment

In light of the fact that resources are limited and Cephalon will be engaged in the launch of other new brands around the same time as the anticipated introduction of FEBT, a clear assessment of priorities and return on investment must be made for all marketing activities. These investments must be evaluated with the realization that Cephalon may be required to sell FEBT below the cost of ACTIQ in order to create access to FEBT for all appropriate patients who suffer with BTP.

### **5. Anticipated restrictive reimbursement status**

The experience to date with ACTIQ plus the addition of generic OTFC to the market make it a virtual certainty that MCOs will continue to prefer SAOs for first-line treatment of BTP, reserving OTFC for more difficult clinical situations. TPPs are expected to continue driving business to generics when available and placing restrictions on premium-priced products, unless HECON analysis reveals compelling benefits to justify the price. Since the clinical performance of ACTIQ (or generic

OTFC) will compare closely with that of FEBT, aggressive pricing may be required to achieve “compelling benefits.” (It is anticipated that FEBT will be premium priced.)

Status of TPP reimbursement of FEBT will have an impact on the success of the brand. TPPs will limit access to FEBT by the following mechanisms: prior authorization, usage/quantity limits, step treatment requirements, and tiered co-pay structures. The development of a comprehensive managed care plan must be completed well in advance of the launch to minimize these potential barriers and support the access of FEBT for appropriate patients.

#### **6. Limited ability to clinically differentiate FEBT from generic OTFC**

At launch the FEBT label will be based on 1 pivotal clinical efficacy trial, the 99-14 trial. The primary end point of this trial was pain relief beginning at 15 minutes postdosing. This trial design is identical to the ACTIQ pivotal trials. Cephalon is conducting a second clinical efficacy trial in cancer patients with BTP. This trial (3039) is designed to differentiate FEBT from its competitors based on its speed of onset. This study measures onset of pain relief as early as 5 minutes and time to meaningful pain relief as measured by stopwatch. This trial will not be completed in time to be included in the initial FEBT NDA. It will be submitted in a sNDA immediately upon product approval. Data from this trial are expected to be published by launch. While these data will be in the public domain, they will not be in the FEBT label, thus their utility to Cephalon to support FEBT differentiation will be limited.

### **COMMERCIAL VISION FOR MANAGED MARKETS**

Establish FEBT as the preferred treatment for BTP in appropriate patients, as follows:

#### **Short-term (Market Conditioning)**

- Improve TPP’s understanding of BTP and its appropriate treatment (including the burden of illness: personal, societal, and economic impact)
- Build the foundation for a new treatment algorithm that identifies ROOs as preferred treatment for BTP
- Assist MCOs in understanding the appropriate patient population for FEBT treatment within their plan
- Differentiate FEBT based on its unique delivery platform and combination of patient benefits (eg, rapid onset of analgesia, predictability, and ease of use)
- Build rapport with key managed care decision makers

#### **Middle-term (Year 1)**

- Gain favorable reimbursement status for FEBT status as the preferred ROO to facilitate switching patients from ACTIQ and driving new patient starts

#### **Long-term (Year 2 and Beyond)**

- Maintain and expand the number of plans who have favorable reimbursement status for FEBT
- Maintain leadership share of ROO class in face of new product introductions
- Solidify FEBT as the optimal choice for treatment of BTP
- Evolve toward market expansion into nonmalignant pain

### **CRITICAL SUCCESS FACTORS FOR MANAGED MARKETS**

#### ***Authoritative treatment guidelines are available that support proper assessment, diagnosis, and appropriate treatment of BTP and recommend ROO as preferred treatment***

The treatment guidelines for BTP should be issued by consensus opinion from leading pain management experts. They must inextricably link the clinical challenges of BTP with the benefits of FEBT (rapid onset, predictable absorption, and discrete dosing form [no stick]) and assist practicing pain specialists in identifying appropriate patients for FEBT. Guidelines for proper use would help MCOs establish objective criteria for assessing the medical necessity for use of FEBT and help them to direct prescribers in proper patient selection, focusing on those patients for whom the clinical benefits of FEBT are unmatched by a less expensive alternative.

#### ***Comprehensive HECON support for treatment of BTP with ROO***

Compelling evidence must support the recommendation to use ROOs, and FEBT specifically, for the optimal treatment of BTP. This evidence should include the following:

- Estimates, backed by clinical research and data analysis, comparing the economic burden of BTP against the potential impact of the proper management of BTP
- Quality of life data showing FEBT help people with BTP reengage in family, recreational, and business activities. While these QOL outcomes will be needed and tell the humanistic side of the story, alone they will not motivate managed care to grant favorable reimbursement status

Addressing this critical success factor will require that Cephalon first develop and disseminate data supporting the fact that the burden of illness associated with BTP is large and current treatment practices (overreliance on SAOs) contribute to the problem. Cephalon must also demonstrate that FEBT can reduce the personal, societal, and economic burdens of BTP.

Additionally, providing proper treatment for patients with documented BTP is not a “cost driver” in the healthcare system and on an individual basis pales in comparison to the benefits.

***Establish the Rapid Onset Opioid (ROO) class for the treatment of BTP***

The clinical profile of ACTIQ, OTFC, and FEBT is vastly different from the SAO class. Establishing the pharmacologic uniqueness and clinical utility of this new class is essential to differentiating the transmucosal fentanyl from SAOs and owning the BTP component within chronic pain management. This will also be an essential step in creating a new drug class within the USP classification system.

***FEBT value proposition (outcomes + price + contracts) lowers barriers to access and encourages reimbursement***

Ideally, clinical and health economic data for FEBT should show that it delivers a highly desirable clinical outcome, which can be optimized through proper patient selection and implementation of treatment guidelines. Acquisition cost, which will be affected by pricing and contracting scenarios, will be balanced against these clinical outcomes.

Achieving a proper balance is essential to lowering anticipated barriers to access (eg, prior authorization, step edits, etc) for FEBT. If a proper balance is unachievable within the commercial realities of FEBT, contracting should be limited to plans that place "not overly burdensome hurdles" to FEBT access by appropriate patients.

***Efficient prescriber support overcomes prior authorization barriers***

In those cases where plans require prior authorization, Cephalon will work with the plans (regionally and/or on a national level) to standardize the prior authorization forms and processes. Cephalon will utilize an array of communication channels to inform physicians of the prior authorization standards instituted by their local health plans such as detailing, telemarketing, and direct mail.

One of the most effective tools for overcoming the barrier of prior authorization has been the Reimbursement Hotline, which will be employed for FEBT as it was for ACTIQ. In addition, medical necessity forms and other support materials and service will be developed to reduce the paperwork burden and time requirements of getting reimbursement for patients with BTP who need FEBT.

## **FEBT STRATEGIC PATHWAY FOR MANAGED MARKETS**

The managed markets strategy for FEBT will be executed in 3 major thrusts, as follows:

### **Phase I—Market Conditioning**

The current definition of BTP is *a transitory exacerbation of pain that occurs on a background of otherwise controlled chronic pain. The phenomenon has also been labeled "incident pain" and "episodic pain."* BTP can strike a patient quickly and without warning or it may have a more gradual onset before escalating to its maximum intensity.

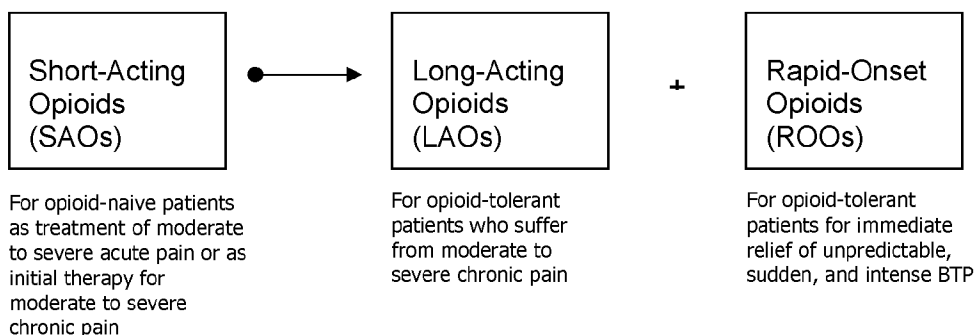
As precise as this definition appears it is still inadequate. BTP does not only “strike quickly and without warning,” it is also often unpredictable. Its unpredictable nature is a primary reason why FEBT is an invaluable clinical tool. It can be taken anywhere, anytime, and without drawing unwanted attention to the situation.

Inserting “unpredictable” into the definition of BTP is a critical objective for Cephalon. It more precisely defines BTP as a more clinically challenging condition and better aligns its treatment with the clinical advantages of FEBT.

A key to success with managed care will be appropriate patient selection. This means that end of dose pain, which is typically included among the clinical situations leading to BTP, must be eliminated from the interpretation of BTP because it is not unpredictable and does not require a remedy having the BTP-specific analgesic profile of FEBT. Actively removing end of dose pain from the BTP profile reduces the risk that inappropriate patients would get FEBT, which should strengthen its value proposition by eliminating unnecessary costs for managed care plans. It will be easier for Cephalon to demonstrate the value of FEBT if patients who can effectively be managed with less expensive drugs (eg, titrating the LAO for end of dose pain) are eliminated.

As a natural next step, there will be an opportunity to revise the BTP treatment algorithm. Currently, physicians titrate SAOs to build opioid tolerance before switching patients to LAOs once it has been determined they suffer with chronic pain. For BTP, the physician essentially moves backwards to SAOs. The relatively slow onset and extended duration of effect make SAOs a poor choice for BTP. Patients often don't receive the pain relief they need at the beginning of BTP and become overmedicated after the pain subsides. For true BTP, Cephalon will support creation of the following treatment algorithm:



*Revised Chronic Pain Management Algorithm (Including BTP)***Phase II—Conversion**

Experts will characterize FEBT as the most elegant compound in the ROO category because of its faster onset of effect, more consistent and predictable absorption, and more discrete and convenient dosing as compared to a lozenge on a stick. These features, if connected to positive HEOR and clinical outcomes, will garner their support for and use of FEBT.

**Phase III—Market Penetration**

MCOs that cover FEBT will be surveyed to assess patient and physician satisfaction. Customer satisfaction parameters will include both economic impact estimates and QoL measures.

## ***FEBT Strategic Map for Managed Markets***

### **MANAGED MARKETS MESSAGE**

The key messages for the managed care decision maker will be refined during the remainder of 2005 (see next section, Integrated Strategy Development Process).

Based on the current target product profile for FEBT and anticipated HEOR data, the message platform would be as follows:

#### *Efficacy*

- Rapid onset of action (although this will lack advantage to OTFC without the 3039 study data in the label at launch)
- Meaningful analgesic effect within 15 minutes (publication only until 3039 data added to the label)
- Efficacy for up to 120 minutes (publication only until 3039 data added to the label)

### *Pharmacokinetics*

- Higher absolute bioavailability as compared to ACTIQ (65% vs. 47%)
- Greater portion of FEBT is absorbed through the buccal mucosa resulting in less first-pass metabolism compared to ACTIQ
- FEBT demonstrates higher early systemic exposure compared to ACTIQ ( $C_{max}$ ,  $T_{max}$ ,  $AUC_{0-tmax}$ )

### **Quick-dissolving tablet formulation offers benefits over lozenge formulations**

- Compatibility with ambulatory setting
  - Discrete and inconspicuous
  - Nonlozenge form less likely to appear "attractive" to children
  - No "partially consumed" medication to secure from potential pediatric misuse
  - Easy to carry
- Consistent and predictable absorption
  - Not "technique dependent"

### **HEOR Benefits**

- Effective management of BTP allows increases in physical activities that can promote recovery and rehabilitation
- Permits confident reengagement in the workplace and participation in activities of daily living
- Reduces utilization of costly medical services (eg, emergency room visits and hospitalization)

## **INTEGRATED STRATEGY DEVELOPMENT PROCESS**

The strategies presented in this plan will be refined through the Integrated Strategy Development Process that will begin in Q3 '05 and be completed by Q1 '06. Throughout this process we will test and validate our assumptions and develop a clearer understanding of our ability to compete against the current standard of care (SAOs), ACTIQ, and generic OTFC in the managed markets arena.

### ***Process***

This process will help expand our understanding of formulary negotiations, including the following elements that are essential to presenting the most compelling value proposition possible to managed care customers and optimizing the formulary status of FEBT:

#### **Target Product Profile**

- Clinical effectiveness

- HEOR data providing evidence that FEBT positively impacts costs and improves clinical outcomes
- Comparative efficacy and safety vs standard of care (SAOs)
- Drug safety, including potential for abuse and diversion of prescriptions

#### **Cost Management Strategies**

- Price
- Rebates
- Value-added services (eg, specialty pharmacy services)
- Reimbursement level (tiers)
- Coinsurance
- Co-pay

#### **Clinical Management Strategies**

- Algorithms (treatment guidelines and edits)
- Prior authorization

#### **Payer Strategies**

- Variations within different books of business

### ***Process Steps***

The steps below outline the integrated research and strategic development process that will inform Cephalon's decision making regarding its investments in clinical research, promotional activities, value-added services, and contracting.

#### **1) Managed Care Advisory Board Meeting (Surrogates)**

Cephalon will convene a meeting of an advisory board composed of former managed care decision makers (surrogates).

The advisors will participate in a discussion of how MCOs and benefits managers structure pharmacy benefits and how pharmacy and medical directors might approach negotiations with pharmaceutical companies for a medication such as FEBT. All participants will be under contract as consultants to Cephalon and thereby bound by nondisclosure agreements that will allow them to see confidential clinical and marketing information, if necessary.

### ***Follow-up Phone Contact***

Advisors will be available by phone to address outstanding issues, as needed.

#### **2) Managed Care Advisory Board Meeting in Conjunction With Fall 2005 AMCP Meeting**

Cephalon will convene a meeting of an advisory board composed of about 10 managed care decision makers. The advisors will see presentations and participate in a discussion of the following topics:

- Nature and clinical presentation of BTP
- Burden of illness associated with chronic pain and BTP
- Effect of BTP on QoL and productivity in patients with chronic pain
- Clinical challenge of managing BTP
- Pain products in development
- FEBT product profile
- The role of ROO (FEBT)

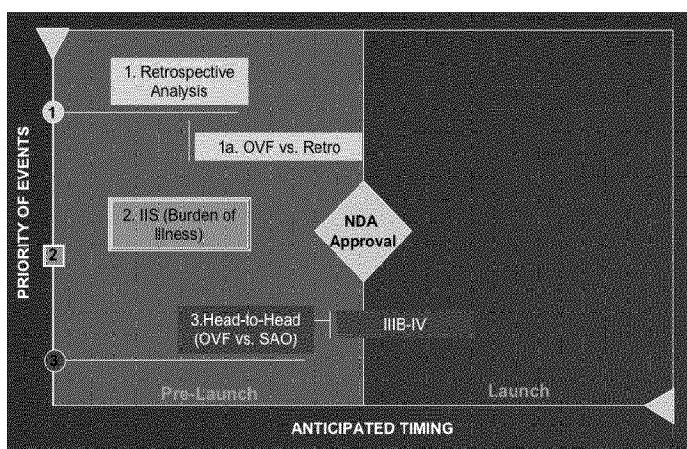
All participants will be under contract as consultants to Cephalon and thereby bound by nondisclosure agreements that will allow them to see confidential clinical and marketing information, if necessary.

Cephalon will provide honoraria, and reimbursement for incidental expenses. The half day meeting will be held October 5 in conjunction with the AMCP meeting. The meeting vendor will submit a written report of the advisory board meeting.

## TACTICS

### Phase I: Market Conditioning

#### ***Cephalon or Investigator-Initiated Phase IIB & IV Studies Conducted Within Key MCOs***



#### **1) Retrospective Analysis of Treatment of BTP**

**Description:** Retrospective chart audit on an  $n^{\text{th}}$ -name basis to collect the following data:

- Patient diagnosis
- Pain history
- Treatment history
- Physician assessment of patient functionality (activities of daily living)

The physicians would also be interviewed and surveyed using a validated questionnaire. Ideally, patients or a segment of patients would also be interviewed so that their perspective could be compared and contrasted with that of the treating physician.

These data would form the basis of a published paper on the current state of science in the management of BTP.

#### **2) Burden of Illness Assessment**

**Description:** An assessment of the direct and indirect costs of BTP, looking at various parameters under the headings, utilization of medical services, and lost productivity and attendance at work.

#### **3) FEBT vs SAO: Health Economic and Clinical Study in BTP Management**

**Description:** An open-label trial comparing FEBT with SAOs in patients with nonmalignant BTP. This trial would compare the drugs with respect to time to complete pain relief, patient utilization of medical services, patient productivity and attendance at work, and measures of patient satisfaction and comfort.

It is hoped that this trial would show that the superior clinical performance of FEBT returns personal and economic benefits.

## ***Authoritative Treatment Guidelines***

Cephalon will support the validation of recent consensus panel recommendations published by Bennett, Burton, and Fishman, et al, in the June 2005 issue of *P&T*. The experts involved in the validation will assist in the dissemination of all published and presented clinical information concerning the results.

Funding for this effort will be handled through an unrestricted grant; therefore, the group's output will not be under the control of Cephalon.

## **Phase II: Conversion**

### ***KOL Leader Development***

Cephalon will continue to develop relationships with KOLs specializing in pain management. KOLs will assist Cephalon in the following areas related to managed markets:

- Validation and dissemination of treatment guidelines
- Interface with USP to support the subcategorization of ROOs
- Educating Managed Care regarding appropriate BTP assessment and treatment
- Achieving favorable reimbursement status

### ***Public Relations***

Cephalon will work with a public relations firm to raise Managed Care awareness of the clinical and personal challenges of BTP. It is important that payers are sensitized to the needs of the chronic pain sufferer who endures BTP. The PR message must include the following:

- The personal and clinical challenges of BTP
- The latest breakthrough in effective treatment
- The consequences of inadequate or inappropriate treatment
- Inadequate pain management is not only cruel, but also bad health economics
- The value proposition for FEBT (commercial- and government-sponsored managed care has a responsibility to cover/reimburse for effective pain management)
- As always with a CII medication, Cephalon must ensure that FEBT is used safely

### ***Managed Care Pharmacy and Medical Director Advisory Boards***

Cephalon will conduct a series of Advisory Board meetings with managed care decision makers across the country. These meetings will provide an opportunity



to discuss issues that are important to the clinical and commercial success of FEBT, including the following:

- Appropriate use and patient selection
- Use by various physician specialties
- Clinical guidelines
- HEOR benefits
- Pricing and other access criteria (eg, prior authorization, step edits, tiered reimbursement)

These meetings will begin in 1Q '06 and continue through Q4 '06.

### ***Petition USP***

In April of this year, the Centers for Medicaid and Medicare Services (CMS) began reviewing formulary proposals from commercial health plans based on the drug classification guidelines developed by USP. This drug classification system includes 146 drug classes. CMS requires that every formulary serving Medicare and Medicaid recipients must offer access to at least 2 drugs from each class, more in some cases.

A petitioning process will be put into place by USP sometime in the summer of 2005 for people who wish to alter the classification system in any way. Once the process has been established, Cephalon will petition the USP to designate ROOs as a separate drug class within the system. It is anticipated that this will impact all commercial formularies.

### ***HECON Impact Model***

This computerized model will be developed based on HECON clinical data compiled from the literature, Cephalon-sponsored clinical trials, and investigator-initiated clinical trials of FEBT. This model will allow Cephalon managed markets executives to demonstrate the economic impact of FEBT on a plan.

### ***“Cost of Pain” Speaking Tour***

This series of speaking engagements with the pharmacy managers, medical directors, and case managers will make the point that poorly managed BTP costs money and harms their patients. The presentations, given by KOLs/MSLs, will cover the following:

- Description of BTP
- Burden of Illness for BTP
- Proper pain management (LAO + ROO)

- HECON benefits of proper pain management
- Economic impact of providing ROO
  - Productivity
  - Attendance
  - Reduced utilization of medical services
  - Fewer claims for worker's compensation

### ***Academy of Managed Care Pharmacy (AMCP) Exhibits and Activities***

Cephalon will exhibit at AMCP meetings each year. These meetings will provide an opportunity for managed markets executives from Cephalon to interact with key managed care decision makers across the country. Activities should include the following:

- Advisory board update meetings
- Commercial exhibits (eg, "BTP: The Price of Pain")
- Scientific symposia
- Scientific posters
- Social events

### **Phase III: Market Penetration**

#### ***FEBT Dossier***

Cephalon will develop an FEBT Managed Care Dossier in the standard format as established by the AMCP. This dossier will be the primary tool for securing favorable reimbursement status.

#### ***Pull-Through Programs***

Once a favorable contract has been established between Cephalon and a plan, Cephalon sales representatives will educate physicians and other healthcare provider staff regarding reimbursement status and requirements for coverage.

#### ***Prior Authorization and Medical Necessity Assistance Program***

Many plans may opt not to cover FEBT without prior authorization. Cephalon will assist physicians who have patients in plans requiring prior authorizations and letters of medical necessity. Cephalon will work with these plans to establish the kinds of information and support that are required to receive authorization and optimal reimbursement. Cephalon will work with the major health plans on a national and regional level to standardize the PA process to simplify the process for healthcare providers. Cephalon will develop guidelines for the representative and for physicians, with accompanying forms, to facilitate authorization by each plan.

## ***Patient Support***

Cephalon will continue to offer and further develop the Emerging Solutions in Pain program.

## ***Continue Clinical Development***

### **Expanded Labeling**

It is essential to the value proposition of FEBT that data to support differentiation from current competitors and its utility in nonmalignant BTP be proven. The number of patients with BTP secondary to nonmalignant chronic conditions is significantly larger than the cancer population with BTP and represents a significant clinical and commercial opportunity for FEBT.

The clinical research group will develop a sNDA for inclusion of the Study 3039 data supporting rapid onset of pain relief in cancer patients with BTP and to expand the label indication to include nonmalignant BTP. This approval will help expand reimbursement coverage by plans who limit FEBT reimbursement to FDA-approved label indications and strengthen the value proposition of FEBT.

### **Published Studies**

All clinical trial data (in both malignant and nonmalignant cancer pain) will be published as soon as possible to support the value proposition for FEBT and secure favorable reimbursement.